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YULE

Now at Lady Smith

Avoided the Enemy by Strategy in Maneuvers

British Are Greatly Fatigued After the Wearisome Marching

Martial Law Now Prevails Throughout Natal.—Bridges Burned as a Check.

London, Oct. 27.—An official message was received at noon today stating the Boers have occupied Dundee and looted all stores.

LADYSMITH, Oct. 27.—Gen. Yule's brigade arrived here early Thursday morning and was received with great enthusiasm. The column left Sunday river valley at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening in a heavy rain, which continued throughout the march.

In spite of the great fatigue of the men, the retreat was effected in masterly fashion. Gen. Yule completely outmaneuvering the enemy.

The services rendered by the colonial guides deserves special mention.

Part of the bridge over Sunday river was destroyed to prevent the possibility of the enemy transporting guns.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—The official announcement of the joining of Gen. White and Gen. Yule has come as a great relief, and all the more so in view of the fact that later dispatches have shown that only the incapacity of the intelligence department of the Boer saved Gen. Yule's column from a great disaster.

It seems that on Friday night Dundee was full of alarms. Heavy firing was heard at 1 o'clock and again at 4. A severe thunder storm soon after stopped the Boer cannonade.

Saturday passed in the same anxious manner, in momentary expectation of an attack. The British finally evacuated, taking all they could, but leaving plenty behind for the Boers to loot.

DURBAN, Oct. 27.—Martial law has been proclaimed throughout Natal. A transport has arrived with a battalion of the rifle brigade.

CAPE TOWN, Oct. 27.—The transport Zayathla, whose voyage from Liverpool was delayed by difficulties with her machinery, has arrived with a battery and a half of field artillery.

Her sister transport, with an equal force, which has been similarly delayed, is daily expected.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—Gen. Sir George Stewart White, according to a dispatch from Cape Town to the Daily Mail, will attack the Orange Free State forces in Natal as soon as Gen. Yule's men have rested. Strong British reinforcements are being sent up from the Cape.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—The Daily Mail publishes the following dispatch from Pietermaritzburg, dated October 24:

The residents of Dundee had a weary tramp of 40 miles to the nearest town, where they arrived in a pitiable plight, having lost everything. The refugees included Harry Escombe, former premier of Natal, and the Dundee magistrate. One of the Dundee people says that all day Saturday trains were arriving and Commandant Gen. Joubert's headquarters at Dannhauser from the Transvaal border bringing Boers, and that there must have been 10,000 in the hills around Dundee. The natives report that the Boers took 16 wagons loaded with their dead from the field of the first battle at Glencoe. Among the killed were several Natal Dutch. A sad feature of the engagement was that three Englishmen who were impressed at Krugersdorf, fought with the enemy, one of them being killed. Two others greatly affected, said they were compelled to fight.

Hairpin Killed Her.

AKRON, O., Oct. 27.—Mrs. D. L. Ford, for many years a resident of this county, committed suicide at Durand, Mich., while insane. She thrust a hairpin into her jugular vein and bled to death.

A MASS MEETING.

Cincinnati Laborites Protest Against the Treatment of Prisoners Held in the Cour D'Alene Mining Region.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 27.—An enormous meeting was held Thursday night at Music hall, the officers of which were of the Central Labor Council, of Cincinnati, and the speakers were Samuel Gombers, of the American Federation of Labor, and Edward Boyce, of Butte, Mont., president of the Western Federation of Miners. Fully 6,000 people remained during the two long speeches, nearly all whom were men.

The announced purpose of the meeting was to protest against the treatment of prisoners held in the Couer D'Alene region in the bull pen. Before the speaking began resolutions were adopted.

First resolution was to demand of the president of the United States to enforce the constitution, especially the sixth section, which they claim has been violated.

The second resolution demanded of the president to withdraw the United States troops from Shohsone county.

The next resolution demanded a courtmartial of Gen. Merriam and his subordinate officers. The last resolution was that all the federal, military and civil officers responsible for the alleged illegal acts committed by them should be held to the strictest accountability.

The first speaker, President Gompers, started out with the remark that the present afforded a great opportunity for laboring people. He said this enormous attendance and the passage of these resolutions would have a far reaching effect, and would do much to relieve the oppressed in Idaho and to bring their oppressors to justice. President Gompers said that he was in the mountain region near the scene of the uprising in Shoshone county but a few days before it occurred. He said by conversation with men who knew about the situation he learned the condition of affairs at Wardner, Bunker Hill and Sullivan mines. He vehemently denied that labor organizations had anything whatever to do with that uprising.

After Mr. Gompers' speech Edward Boyce, president of the Western Federation of Miners, gave a plain, straight forward, exhaustive history of the troubles, covering 17 or 18 years among the miners in Shoshone county. After his speech, which was finished very late, the resolutions were adopted with a roaring aye, and then with a standing vote.

Engaging Vessels to Carry Ore.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 27.—Contracts entered into and pending indicate that an effort will be made next year to carry down the lakes by boat 17,798,000 tons of iron ore, which is far in excess of anything yet attempted. The vessels necessary for this are being engaged. As the total shipment of all commodities down the lakes this year has been about 18,000,000 tons, there is every prospect that the shippers of grain and lumber will be compelled to use the railroads.

Sorely Afflicted Family.

CIRCLEVILLE, O., Oct. 27.—Typhoid fever has almost wiped out the family of Harrison Weakley. Two months ago a daughter, Mrs. Riggin, died. Another daughter, Lulu, died last Sunday, and Tuesday evening the youngest son, A. C. Weakley, fell a victim. Mrs. Weakley, the mother, is in a very critical condition, and another daughter in Baltimore, Md., is at death's door from the same cause.

Missing Newspaper Man Located.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 27.—Eugene E. Easton, the former Cincinnati newspaper man, who was reported as having been captured by the Boers at Bloemfontein, has been located by Consul Marcum at Pretoria, through the state department. He is at the front with the Boer forces, reporting the war for a newspaper syndicate, and he is in good health.

Indicted for Second Degree Murder.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 27.—The grand jury Thursday indicted Ralph Hawley for murder in the second degree. Hawley was a non-union conductor on the Broadway line during the street railroad strike. On July 24, during an attack on a car, he shot and killed Michael Kornsweit, a boy who was riding by on a horse.

New Smallpox Cases.

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 27.—The state board of health was informed Thursday of the outbreak of smallpox in the state as follows: One case each at Cedarville and Rochester, Huron county; three cases at Lancaster and seven in Cleveland. The latter covers the time since October 18.

Salaries Have Not Been Paid.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 27.—No players have been signed by the Cleveland club. In fact, salaries have not been paid for the past season. No developments of any kind in the new league.

PUBLIC DOMAIN.

Annual Report of Commissioner Hermann Making Recommendations.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The annual report of Commissioner Hermann, of the general land office, made public Thursday shows a grand total of 929,808,068 acres of unappropriated and unreserved public lands in the United States. The disposals of public lands during the fiscal year shows an increase of 728 516 acres as compared with the aggregate of the previous year. The total cash receipts of the service increased $792,142 over last year. Original homestead entries showed a decrease of 28,970 in area involved and final entries an increase of 39,132 in area. There were 150,541 acres certified or patented as swamp lands during the year, an increase of almost 70,000. Indian and miscellaneous land patents issued aggregated 212,848 acres, and 420,760 acres selected by the various states and territories were approved and certified for educational and other purposes. Under the several railroad grants made by congress there were certified and patented last year 504,651 acres of land, together with 60,393 acres for wagon road construction.

The commissioner makes a number of recommendations looking to the betterment of the land laws and their administration, and suggests the enlargement of the Mount Ranier national park in Washington and the Yellow Stone national park in Wyoming.

Protection against forest fires is especially urged. It is estimated that the average yearly loss from this cause is not less than $20,000,000. The proper utilization of the grazing lands on the public domain is also urged, and it is pointed out that so long as the laws require millmen and other lumbermen to pay a fair price to the government for timber supplies drawn from public land there should be an equal charge levied on the grazing products of public lands. The government, it is urged, should derive a revenue from leasing lands. The adjustment of the Northern Pacific grants shows 26,570,099 acres as the quantity of land to which that company is entitled and there is still due the company 14,851,833 acres. The whole area of the grant to the Union Pacific is found to be 12,129,842 acres, of which 5,153,646 acres is still due. The whole area of the grant to the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Co. is 1,287,298, and the company has actually received an excess of 10,975 acres. The adjustment of the Northern Pacific grant shows there will be a deficiency of more than half a million acres by the grant of May 31, 1870. A deficiency also may be found under the grant of 1864.

Charged With Using Counterfeit Labels.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 27.—Anton Housler, charged with dealing in counterfeit foreign perfumes, was arrested in Milwaukee Thursday by internal revenue officers. Heusler is accused of selling domestic perfumes in bottles stamped with counterfeit labels, indicating that their contents were of foreign manufacture.

Civil Governor Rivera Resigns.

HAVANA, Oct. 27.—Gen. Luis Rivera has resigned the civil governorship of the Province of Havana. The post has been offered to Gen. Emilio Nunez, but his friends say that they doubt that he will accept. Should he refuse it will probably be offered to Senor Fernandez de Castro, civil governor of the province under the autonomist regime.

Will Not Raise the Price of Coal.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 27.—A meeting of the operators of the Springfield sub district was held Thursday to discuss the question of raising the price of coal to the retail dealers. After considerable discussion the committee decided not to raise the price.

The Ring Lost Heavily.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—A big "killing" was made in the Harlem ring Thursday on Henry of Frantsamar, a horse that not long ago was sold to a stable hand for six dollars. He won the second race handily, and it is estimated the ring lost nearly $10,000.

Officially Received By President Diaz.

CITY OF MEXICO, Oct. 27.—The new minister from Salvador, Don Rafael Zaldiva, was officially received Thursday by President Diaz in the hall of the ambassadors at the national palace.

Signed With the St. Louis Club.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—President Young states that Lewis Criger and Clarence Childs have signed with the St. Louis club for next season.

No New Cases at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 27.—The board of health Thursday reported no new cases of yellow fever and no deaths.

Dressed chickens at Allen's.

VANDERBILT'S WILL.

Senator Depew Gives Out a Statement of the Terms of the Document—Estate is Estimated at $70,000,000.

NEW YORK, Oct. 27.—Senator Depew Thursday night gave out a statement of the terms of the will of the late Cornelius Vanderbilt. It shows that the fortune is estimated at $70,000,000. Alfred Gwynn Vanderbilt will get about $50,000,000. He thus becomes the head of the family. The will gives Cornelius Vanderbilt about $1,600,000. It gives to each of his remaining brothers and sisters about $7,500,000. Alfred, of course, not included.

Out of the spirit of affection and for the purpose of satisfying all of the members of his family, Alfred Gwynn Vanderbilt gives his brother Cornelius enough of his inheritance to make his fortune equal to that of the other members, namely $7,500,000. Senator Depew says that Cornelius Vanderbilt has accepted this arrangement in the spirit in which it was offered.

A legacy of $100,000 is given to the Young Men's Christian association of New York, and the desire is expressed that the income, so far as practicable, be used for Christian work among railroad employes.

Also a bequest of $200,000 is given to the rector, church wardens and vestrymen of the St. Bartholomew's church, to be kept invested by them and the annual income applied to the missionary work of the parish.

There is a further bequest of $200,000 for the erection of a building for church purposes in said parish, contingent upon its not having been erected prior to the testator's death, the surplus if any, to be added to the bequest last above named.

Also the following bequests: Yale university, $100,000; St. Luke's hospital, in New York city, $50,000; the domestic and foreign missionary society of the Protestant Episcopal church, $50,000; trustees of the Vanderbilt university, Nashville, Tenn., $50,000; the Redwood library at Newport, $10,000; the Newport, R. I., hospital, $10,000; the Manhattan Working Girls' society of the city of New York, $10,000; the New York Bible and Common Prayer Book society, $10,000.

Also the executors are directed to pay to the Society of St. Johnland annually the sum of $2,000, and a bequest of $10,000 is made to the same society.

Also to the Protestant Episcopal Society for Seamen in New York city a bequest of $10,000 is given and Turner's painting of the Grand canal, Venice, is given to the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York city.

THE SULTAN OF SULU.

War Department Officials Refuse to Make Known the Arrangements Made by Gen. Bates With the Ruler.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—War department officials refuse to make public any of the provisions of the arrangement made by Gen. Bates with the sultan of Sulu, the southernmost group of the Philippines, but state that its main features have been touched upon in the cabled press reports from Manila. The document arrived in Washington about six weeks ago. A cabinet officer says Gen. Bates has secured for the United States the valuable services of the whole royal family of Sulu for the compensation of a good clerk, and provided for the immediate mitigation of the conditions of the slaves and their ultimate emancipation. Not being in actual possession of the Sulu group (and Spain has never been able to obtain more than a nominal suzerainty over it), the ability of the United States military commander to effect these things, besides preserving peace and opening the islands to trade, is regarded as commendable. It is further said that this arrangement is not permanent and does not prevent different treatment of the islands in the future, and still further, it has not been approved thus far by the president, and may be rejected, if it is deemed proper to do so. The arrangement is regarded as a purely military one, fully within the powers of the American commanding officer to draw up, and so it will not be submitted to the senate, as would be a treaty, but will be merely transmitted as a matter of information.

Students and Professors Injured.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Four students and two professors of the University of Chicago were injured in an explosion of chemicals in Kent laboratory Thursday and many others were almost overcome by smoke and the fumes of nitric acid.

To Inspect the Troop Ship Thomas.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The secretary of war and a number of prominent officials will leave here Friday night for New York to inspect the United States troop ship Thomas, said to be the finest ship of the kind afloat. Through the state department an invitation has been extended to the military attaches of the foreign embassies and legations here to accompany the secretary and view the ship.

A STRINGENT FOOD LAW.

Prohibits the Use of Arsenic or Alum in all Articles of Diet.

The law enacted by the Missouri legislature, a copy of which was recently published in our columns, and which prohibits the manufacture or sale of any article intended for food or to be used in the preparation of food, which contains alum, arsenic, ammonia, etc., places that state in the lead in the matter of sanitary legislation.

Laws restricting the use of alum in bread have been in force in England, Germany and France for many years. In this country, in Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan, Ohio, Kentucky and several other states, direct legislation in reference to the sale of alum baking powders has also been effected. In several of these states their sale is prohibited unless they are branded to show that they contain alum, and in the District of Columbia, under the laws of Congress, the sale of bread containing alum has been made illegal.

Following are the names of some of the brands of baking powder sold in this vicinity which are shown by recent analysis to contain alum. Housekeepers and grocers should cut the list out and keep it for reference:

Baking Powders Containing Alum:

DAVIS' O K.....Contains Alum
R. B. Davis & Co., New York
CROWN.....Contains Alum
J. P. Dieter Co., Chicago.
KENTON.....Contains Alum
Potter-Parlin Co., Cincinnati.
CALUMET.....Contains Alum
Calumet Baking Powder Co., Chicago.
DELICATESSE.....Contains Alum
Delicatesse Baking Powder Co. New York.
I.C.....Contains Alum
Jaques Mfg. Co., Chicago.

In addition to these, many grocers sell what they call their own private or special brands. These powders are put up for the grocer, and his name put upon the labels by manufacturers of alum powders. The manufacturers, it is said, find their efforts to market their goods in this way greatly aided by the ambition of the grocer to sell a powder with his own name upon the label, especially as he can make an abnormal profit upon it. Many grocers, doubtless, do not know that the powders they are thus pushing are alum powders the sale of which would be a misdemeanor under the law referred to.

It is quite impossible to give the names of all the alum baking powders. They are constantly appearing in all sorts of disguises, under different names and at all kinds of prices, even as low as five and ten cents a pound. They can be avoided, however, by the housekeepers who will bear in mind that all baking powders sold at twenty-five cents or less per pound are liable to contain alum, as pure cream of tartar powders cannot be produced at anything like this price.

Northwestern University Won.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—Northwestern university Thursday won from the football team of Lake Forest university by a score of 16 to 0. The game was played in a driving rain which made fumbles frequent by both sides.

Retains the Cast Iron Medal.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 27.—J. A. R. Elliott, of Kansas City, killed 99 out of 100 birds Thursday at the tournament of the Belle Meade gun club. By doing so he retains the cast iron medal and championship of wing shots.

Death of Gen. Symons.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—Under Secretary of War Wyndham announced in the house of commons Thursday that Gen. Symons, who was wounded in the battle of Glencoe, had died as a result of his wounds.

The Jurors Selected.

CHICAGO, Oct. 27.—The jurors who are to hear the evidence against H. H. Hammond, who shot John T. Shayne, the millionaire fur dealer, last winter, were selected Thursday. The taking of testimony will commence Friday. Sensational developments are expected. Shayne was shot while in the company of Hammond's divorced wife. All the parties concerned are highly connected.

One Killed and 22 Injured.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 27.—Shortly before midnight Thursday night car No. 15 of the Mt. Clemens rapid railway suburban electric line was struck by a Michigan Central freight train at the corner of Griot and Bellevue avenues, killing Conductor Schneider and injuring 22 men and women, two of them fatally. The suburban car was filled with the regular theater load bound for Mt. Clemens.

CABLE

Across The Pacific

This and Foreign Governments Would Be Benefitted

The Matter Will Be Brought Before the Next Congress for Action

The Line Would Reach From San Francisco to Manila and Connect Our Country.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—In official and diplomatic circles attention is being directed to the question of a Pacific cable linking this country with the Philippines and points beyond, and it is understood this government and the foreign governments which would be affected by the cable are now actively considering the subject.

The officials here are assembling data and preparing cable maps with the expectation that the matter will be brought to the early attention of congress. In a general way the project is for a cable of four links, viz: From San Francisco to Hawaii, 2,160 miles; from Hawaii to Wake Island, 2,044 miles; from Wake Island to Guam, 1,293 miles; from Guam to Manila, 1,850 miles.

These landing points are all within the control of the United States, our flag having been raised on Wake Island not long ago. This would connect all the American possessions in the Pacific by a line crossing no foreign territory. Besides this, the plan permits of an expansion so as to secure two outlets to Asia and the far east. The first of these would be from Manila to the Japanese island of Formosa, from which island Japan has built a line to the Japanese coast and the main land of Asia. The second outlet would be from Hawaii south to Fannings island, at which point the newly projected British cable from Van Couver to New Zealand crosses.

The foregoing projects would not be private enterprises, but a government undertaking. The government, it is urged in support of the projects, would be not only free from the present high charges and from the supervision of the foreign companies now handling the business, but the line being opened to public and commercial uses at a reasonable rate would afford facilities for the expanding trade of the Pacific and thereby yield a considerable return to the government.

Foreign governments which would be effected by this project—notably Russia, Japan and Great Britain—are beginning to show some concern over it, and it is understood that the government has been sounded of late from several foreign quarters to learn what its plans are.

IN FAVOR OF MEDIATION.

Resolutions Adopted at a Mass Meeting in New York Urging Mediation in Transvaal War Presented to McKinley.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 27.—The resolutions adopted at a mass meeting held in Carnegie hall, New York, October 11, urging the president to offer the friendly services of the United States in mediation between Great Britain and the Transvaal and Orange Free State republics, were presented to the president Thursday afternoon by a delegation from New York headed by Tunis G. Bergin, president of the Holland society.

The president in responding thanked the gentlemen present for appearing and for the sentiments expressed in behalf of peace. Such sentiments had his sympathy, but in a case where so many diverse interests are involved moves must be made with great reserve lest unwittingly injury be done some of the parties. The fact, moreover, must not be overlooked that America had interests at stake. The president reiterated that he was for peace and assured the delegation that the petition would receive his most earnest consideration.

Emperors to Meet.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—According to the Berlin correspondent of the Daily Mail Emperor Nicholas and Emperor William will meet at Darmstadt before the kaiser goes to England.

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Cecil Rhodes' Dream of Empire

Is the Present War Between the English and the Boers the Final Step in It's Full Realization?

THERE is a little incident with a timely significance related by Mr. Howard C. Hillegas in his recent book, "Oom Paul's People." It relates to Cecil John Rhodes, and after reading those few lines one has a better understanding of the meaning the present war in South Africa has to that greatest of South African statesman, capitalist and empire builder. The incident is as follows:

"Sixteen years ago Cecil J. Rhodes, then a man of small means and no political record, stood in a small Kimberley shop and looked for a long time at a map of Africa which hung on the wall. An acquaintance who had watched him for several minutes stepped up to Rhodes and asked whether he was attempting to find the location of Kimberley. Mr. Rhodes made noreply for several seconds, then placed his hand over the map and covered a large part of south and central Africa.

"'All that British,' he said. 'That is my dream.'"

"'I will give you ten years to realize it,' replied the friend.

"'Give me ten more,' said Rhodes, 'and then we will have a new map.'"

That is the incident. As Rhodes expressed it, "a dream," but a dream that for the past 16 years has been steadily revolutionizing the map of southern Africa, until to-day the dream is all but realized, until there are but two small states in all that great territory over which the union jack does not wave signifying English sovereignty, and the war with England into which those two little states have plunged may be the final act in this dream of what was 16 years ago an unknown man.

It would be almost impossible to show Mr. Rhodes' connection with African history in every detail during those 16 years. Even at the time of his remarkable statement in the Kimberley shop he had made a small start in the wonderful career which has been his since that time. In those days election to the Cape parliament did not mean much in a political way, but Rhodes had secured that and made it a stepping stone to things greater.

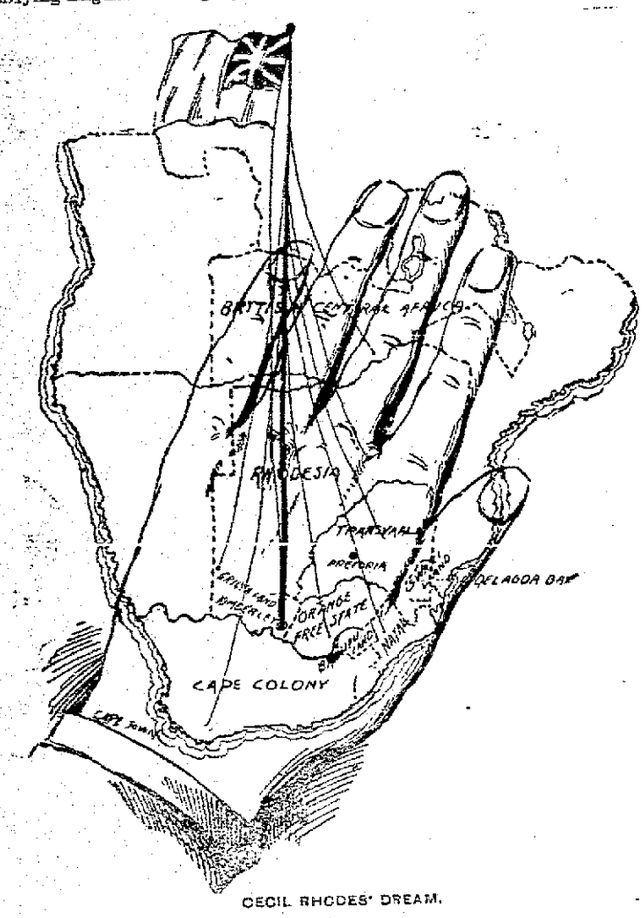
In the carrying out of his dream Rhodes was fortunate as to time and events. It was early in the '80s that England first evinced an earnest desire to expand in South Africa. For almost a century previous to that time the nation had pursued a vacillating policy with a vast territory that might all have been hers for the asking, or even for the taking when asked. But different ministries had different views in regard to the policy of acquiring an extensive territory in the dark continent, and while an occasional ministry would branch out and extend English rule to new territory in Africa, political revolutions at home would bring new ministries, and they in turn would abandon all that their predecessors had gained.

The year in which Cecil Rhodes dreamed his dream of empire in the shop at Kimberley was the year in which the scramble between the powers for African territory began. Germany began crowding England closely, and the nation that had been paramount in South Africa for so long a time realized at last that if she wished to preserve her standing as the ruling power she must act hastily. So it was that in 1885 England constituted that part of Bechuanaland south of the Molopo river and north of Cape Colony English territory. Mr. Rhodes had strangly advocated the annexation of the territory to Cape Colony, but being unsuccessful in this had urged the home government to make of it a crown colony, which was done.

Rapidly the lines of the new colony were extended northward to the west of the Orange Free State and the Transvaal republic. Germany was gradually crowding in from the Atlantic coast, and Rhodes begrudged them every foot of land which they secured through English inactivity. When the northern boundaries of Bechuanaland were reached there still stretched far beyond a country from which there began to come stories of fabulous wealth in gold and diamonds. Both Germany and Portugal had looked at this great territory with covetous eyes, but a savage monarch, backed by a horde of fanatical blacks, had proven too much for their courage.

Rhodes was by 1888 at a point very near the height of his power, when nothing seemed too great for him to undertake. He was not frightened by Lobengula, the native chieftain, but sent commissioners to him to form a treaty, which they secured, and which gave to Rhodes and his followers the right to mine the country for minerals. It but formed the opening wedge to the complete occupancy of the country by an English chartered company, with Rhodes at the head, and which, under his able management, has made rapid strides in development.

British Central Africa was secured by the treaty between England, France, Germany and Portugal in 1890. This treaty partitioned the territory in dispute between the various powers, and by it England secured a large tract of territory which they had not previously occupied, out of which British Central Africa was formed.



CECIL RHODES' DREAM.

While England had been defeated in the court of arbitration which had decided the claims of the Transvaal, Portugal and England to Delagoa bay, yet by a master stroke in diplomacy, before the finding of the court had been made known, she secured from Portugal a promise not to dispose of the territory in dispute, should it be awarded to her, to any other power without the consent of England. That gave England practical control of that portion of Africa which has played so prominent a part in the African disputes. Had not the United States government objected to a speedy purchase of the territory by England, because of a claim an American citizen had against Portugal for a railroad built through the territory, it would have passed entirely into English control some time ago.

This completed the realization of Cecil Rhodes' dream, with the exception of the two little republics. To accomplish their downfall Rhodes first planned the Jamieson raid, which failed. Then he tried other tactics and attempted to induce the settlers of the little republics to emigrate to his newfound paradise, Rhodesia, holding out to them glittering promises of wealth, but this also failed, and other methods have become necessary.

Whether Cecil Rhodes is concerned in the present war in South Africa or not is a question that many men would answer in many ways, but that he would be well pleased should England succeed in defeating the sturdy burghers none will doubt.

DANIEL CLEVERTON.

To Clean Furs.

Furs will look much improved if they are cleaned with bran. The bran should be placed in an earthen receptacle and heated in the oven. When hot it should be rubbed well into the fur. Flannel is the best thing to use for rubbing the bran into the fur. After the husk has remained in the garment for about half an hour shake it thoroughly to remove all particles and brush until the article is perfectly clean. Fur collars that have become soiled from rubbing against the hair may be made to look like new by using hot bran on them. Two applications of the bran, and probably three, will be necessary if the fur is badly soiled.

THE FREIGHT TRAIN OF LIFE.

Men are like a train of cars
That rumble on the track
With many curves and many jars,
And many drawing back.

Some are the engines that must pull
Upon the heavy grade,
And some are empty, some are full—
Each for its uses made.

Some seem to slide along the way,
With never a squeak or jolt,
And some go creaking as if they
Were sore in every bolt.

And some are billed to go through straight,
And one is here and there
To be left on some switch and wait
In gloomy days or fair.

Men are as cars that rumble past,
Each has its place and use;
The engine at the head and last
The pitiful caboose.

—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

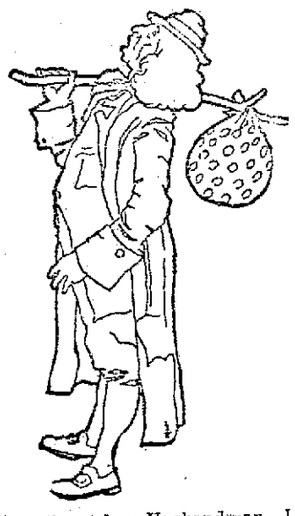
THE TEST THAT FAILED

Being a Modern Tale Retold in Ancient Form.

By Kennett F. Harris.

IT CHANCED that a Youth of Parts, whose upbringing had been Remote from Urban scenes, while walking along State street and meditating upon the prodigious size of the Edifices that met his Eyes, ran into a person whose brisk and confident manner, no less than the fashion of his vivacious Garments proclaimed him one well wonted to the Town.

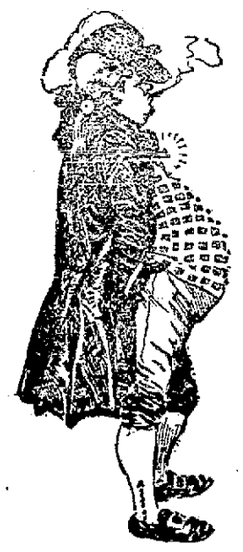
Being thus rudely Assailed, this person swore roundly. "I perceive," he said to the Youth, who was named Perceival, "that you are one whose Calling is that of an Husbandman. I am enabled to predict this with the more Assurance as you have neglected to remove from your hair the Seed, fallen from the last wainload of Hay that you Pitched. Is it not ungrateful in you to Close the Eyes wherewith Heaven has blessed you as you walk abroad? Consider, I beg, whether the Corns of your Fellow Beings are not worthy of your Respect and whether you do not merit Chastisement at my Hands.'"



This address the Citizen delivered with every mark of the liveliest Displeasure, but he appeared incapable of prosecuting his implied threat of Violence, as he was compelled to stand upon one Foot, while he nursed in his hands the Other upon which Perceival had stepped.

"Sir," said Perceival, "I pray you to believe it was with no malicious Purpose that I trod upon your Toe, and it grieves me out of measure that I should have caused you Pain. Being newly come from an inconsiderable Hamlet, I was in truth amazed at the tallness of the structures which adorn this Thoroughfare and looked rather at their nineteenth stories than upon my path, not considering those whom I might inadvertently Encounter."

"I am persuaded that you intended no Incivility," said the Citizen, abating as he spoke the Resentment expressed in his countenance. "And now that I look more closely at you I seem to recognize the features of one for whom I entertained a feeling of Great Regard. Can it be that you are the son of my worthy old Friend and Benefactor?"



"I am indeed the son of Josiah Beanhill, of Daleville," the ingenious youth replied.

At this disclosure the Citizen, who said that he was called Samuel Stackedhand, professed that he was transported with Pleasure and informed Perceival that during his sojourn in the Town it would afford him uncommon gratification to be of service. "I am," he said, "a man of Substance and my Wealth occasions me much Uneasiness. I have long sought some deserving person upon whom I could bestow my riches, reserving only a modest competence, which with Frugality, might sustain the Necessities of my declining Years. I am assured that you are Temperate, Prudent, Grateful and Confiding, for these virtues my old Friend Beanhill possessed most notably. I was struck with you at the first."

"Nay, dear sir," said Perceival. "'Twas pure accident, as I have said."

"I meant," explained Master Stackedhand, "that your Demeanor impressed me. I had no reference to the Impact. I thought I discerned in you the qualities I desired in my Heir. I am now convinced, my dear Perceival, that my Observation was correct."

Saying which the Beneficent Stranger Clapped Perceival upon the back in an affectionate Manner and received with a smiling countenance the fervid Expressions of Gratitude to which the Youth gave Utterance. As they proceeded Master Stackedhand spoke with Gravity concerning the Seductions of the Town, and warmly denounced the laxity of its Civic Officers, who, he said, permitted the Promptings of Ambition and Cupidity to stifle within their Breasts the consciousness of their Sacred Obligations to the Community. He Counseled Perceival how he should avoid the Deceitful Practices of Evil-Minded Persons. "And yet," he continued, "I must warn you that being of a trustful Disposition I am impatient of that Base Vice of Suspicion, which is incompatible with either Generosity or Benevolence. My experience of Mankind has too often discovered an unworthy incredulity, arguing in those who showed an inclination to withhold Confidence a consciousness of unworthy Motives within themselves."

Conversing thus unpleasantly and instructively, Perceival and Master Stackedhand walked toward the lake front to view the effects of an Explosion, which, Master Stackedhand said, had lately occurred in that vicinity, the contemplation of which could not fail to be Edifying. On their way they stopped at a place of Public Entertainment for some temperate Refreshment.

"I observe," said Stackedhand, smiling with Approval, "that you are a Youth of discrimination. Water is indeed an Element indispensable to the refreshment of Humanity. Clear, sparkling and innocuous, there is nothing that approaches its Excellence for sprinkling the streets of this Town. I myself use it rigorously in my morning Bath, and you shall presently see in how admirable a Manner it supports the Argosies of commerce that ply between here and Buffalo and other Points. It is indeed pleasing to a philosophical Mind to dwell upon the manifold purposes to which it may be applied, but as a subsequent imbibition to the distilled juices of the graminaceous Product which the Tapster has set before us, it is, it must be confessed, Superfluous. I beg that you will, at my Expense, allow our Friend to refill your Glass."

"It is my Custom," said Perceival, "but I am assured that my Father's Friend would not counsel me to Excess, and in truth the Beverage has an agreeable Twang."

"And now," said Master Stackedhand, laughing merrily, "I greatly desire that you should afford me proofs that you credit my Protestations of Esteem. 'Tis indeed from no doubt that I Entertain of your Reliance upon my Integrity, but as a matter of Form and Ceremony, which I have always purposed to impose upon the person I should select as my Heir. I have here, as you Perceive, a large sum of Money, and I propose that you shall intrust me with what sums you may have in your Possession and suffer me to leave you for a short space of Time. On my Return I shall know how to Reward your Faith in my Honor."

"I am vastly obliged to you for your Generous Intention," returned Perceival, "but for the present Time we must Defer the Test to which you were about to subject me. This is not because of any doubt I have that you would Return, but because I am unhappily Devoid of Means. Your kindness to me encourages me to prefer a request which in ordinary Diffidence would have forbidden. If you will advance me Ten Cents from the Roll you have Displayed to pay my Car Fare to my Lodging you may rely upon my Gratitude."

At this Master Stackedhand fell unaccountably into a Great Passion and addressed the Amazed Youth in such opprobrious Terms and with Gestures so Furious that he removed himself from the Inn lest he should receive a Mischief.

Yet no sooner did Perceival regain the sidewalk than the natural cheerfulness of his Disposition (which had been Dashed by the Intemperate Conduct of Samuel Stackedhand) asserted itself. He thrust his Hands into his Breeches Pockets and his Tongue into his Cheek and hummed Melodiously as he walked away.—Chicago Daily Record.

Justin McCarthy's Eyes.

Justin McCarthy, the historian and novelist, has just undergone the last of a series of operations for the relief of his eyes, and it is expected that his sight will be completely restored.

Robbing Peter to Pay Paul.

The individual who robs Peter to pay Paul usually strikes Paul for a larger loan later.—Chicago Daily News.

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AT THE CARD TABLE.

Americans use 250,000,000 poker chips annually.

When you are ahead of the game—before it opens.—Berlin (Md.) Herald.

"If anybody calls—," remarked Bluffem, as he raised the ante on a four flush. "if anybody calls, say I'm out."—N. O. Times-Democrat.

A Russian electrician announced the discovery that will greatly interest poker players. He says he can restore sight to the blind.—San Francisco Call.

One of the hottest poker games on record was the one where the "boy stood on the burning deck" and "called" his father.—L. A. W. Bulletin.

Tommy—"Grandpa, are kings and queens always good?" Grandpa—"Not always, my boy; not when there are aces out against them."—Brooklyn Life.

Tenderfoot—"Is there any big game around here?" Native—"There used ter be, but now you can't find nuthin' but penny ante."—San Francisco Examiner.

Sporty Tourist—"Is there any chance to get into a good poker game here?" Native—"Wal, stranger, I reckon ye'll find it easier gettin' into 'em than gittin' out of 'em."—N. Y. Journal.

Wifey—"What makes you stay at the office so late at nights Do you gain anything by it?" Hubby—"No; but I have several times come—er—within an ace of gaining something."—Philadelphia Record.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN.

Jersey City has a woman sign painter.

Fewer housewives "put up" preserves nowadays.

More women keep records of housekeeping expenses than formerly.

A Chicago conductor says many women have learned how to get off a street car.

A Brooklyn man says every woman says: "It seems to me" at least six times when she makes a speech.

Crusades against slang have been begun by women in Sacramento, Cal.; Fall River, Mass.; and Brooklyn.

A Philadelphia woman donned her husband's clothes and took out his street car one day when he was too sick to work.

At a recent gathering of women in Providence nearly all admitted that they felt awkward when they asked their husbands for money.

Henry Higgs, president of the Economic Section of the British association, told an audience that housekeeping was no better understood than it was two centuries ago—perhaps even not so well. In the interval, however, the art had become enormously simplified.

THE PRACTICAL IN EDUCATION

Plumbing is taught in the Boston trades school.

Pennsylvania has a new banking and business course.

Free evening drawing schools are maintained by the city of Boston.

Amherst has a course in modern governments and their administration.

One of the most important of the new courses established at the University of Pennsylvania this year is that in commerce, diplomacy and international law. It is a special two years' course, and is designed to prepare students for the diplomatic and consular service, and for the conduct of international commercial relations.

IN THE COUNTING ROOM.

As a general rule you can get the most work out of the busiest people.

Some men get down to work in the morning earlier than necessary.

A busy man always hates the fellow who has nothing to do beyond giving good advice.

Every employe around a place of business wonders what makes the employer so blind to the faults of the others.

When you hear women abusing a young man because he does not speak to them on the street, it is safe to bet that the young man is popular with his employer.—Atchison Globe.

"It did me more good than anything I ever used. My dyspepsia was of months' standing; after eating it was terrible. Now I am well," writes S B Konner, Hoisington, Kas. of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat. H F Vortkamp. Cor. Main and North streets.

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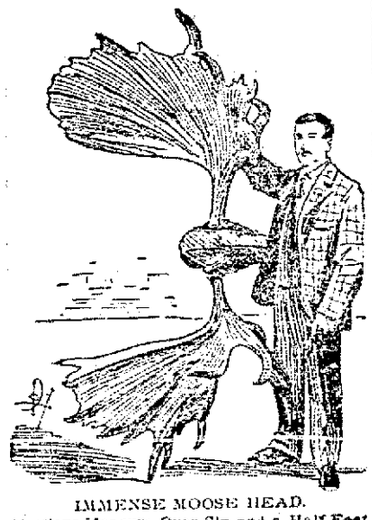
GREAT MOOSE HEAD.

Romantic History of an Enormous Specimen in T[illegible]

Antlers Measure Six Feet and Six and a Half Inches from Tip to Tip—Superstition Connected with the Big Creature.

A moose head whose antlers measure from tip to tip six feet six and a half inches, a head on which from tip to tip a board could be placed, the tallest of men lie down and not be too tall for the length of it—in fact, the largest moose head in the world—is the property of W. F. Sheard, of Tacoma, Wash. It has 40 prongs, and its immense fan-like antlers are enormous in their width as well as in height. The marvel is that any neck could have carried such a burden.

Its history is unusual and tinctured with the romantic superstition of the Canadian Indian. For many years the Indian tribes around Fort Selkirk and the mouth of the Stewart river, in the northwest territories of Canada, had told among themselves the tale of a mighty moose, a "hi-uh moose," that for years and years had haunted the district of the Stewart river. Many years before, when the gigantic animal had first appeared, their fathers had endeavored to kill it; for days they had tracked the beast through the pathless forests. Easy to track it was, for the immense antlers, said the Indians, made a path through the foliage of the trees wider than a man was high, and the marks of his huge prongs on the bark were certain indications of his path. Gradually grew up around this huge, mysterious animal a superstitious reverence that he should escape all bullets and arrows and evade all pitfalls. It became whispered that this moose held within it the soul of some great warrior, one skilled in war and cunning in council. He had entered this



IMMENSE MOOSE HEAD.
(Antlers Measure Over Six and a Half Feet from Tip to Tip.)

king of the forest to roam the woods and plains that in life had been so dear to him.

For years this story was told. The traders, matter of fact as they were, paid little attention to the stories, even though many pretended to have seen the moose. Every Indian tribe has its legends and ghost stories, and the description of the big bull moose, with the antlers larger than a man is long, was promptly set down as one of these.

In October of 1897 an Indian-French half-breed, untroubled by superstition, legends or scruples, came into the post and reported that for four days he had followed the "hi-uh moose," and had killed it near the headwaters of the Stewart river, 200 or 300 miles from Dawson City (Klondike). This was in the dead of winter.

After slaying the great beast he endeavored to get some one to assist in bringing in the meat and the head, but the superstitious braves firmly refused ever to lay a hand on the body. They considered the slaying sacrilegious. It was long months before the daring hunter could set himself right in the eyes of his offended and indignant tribe.

Finally a party of whites went out from the post and brought the moose in. The next year the head was sent down the Yukon to Tacoma, Wash., where W. F. Sheard, a skin merchant of that city, bought it, and in his possession this unique and magnificent trophy remains. That it was extremely old is sure. The growth of antlers such as this is unusual. The head is not an unusually large one.

It is said that an awful death overtook its slayer. The Canadians of the Stewart river district have a legend that at certain times a great bull moose rushes madly through the forests near by. On his antlers is a writhing human form. Shrieks of fear and anguish are heard. Suddenly moose and man disappear. Again and again, they say, this ghostly sight is seen. It is one of the "hi-uh" torturing its slayer. And when there is this rushing through the forest as of the tearing by the great antlers again of bough and leaf, and shrieks, human like, come on the wind, and there seems to be a thunder of mighty hoofs, the Indians shrink together and whisper: "It's the soul of the half-breed."

Bird Victims of Fashion.

The birds so ruthlessly slaughtered for their plumes are the white herons and egrets, of which several pieces have lately been quite destroyed. They are natives of tropical countries, South America and India furnishing the most specimens.

Mormons in Switzerland.

Mormonism has taken refuge in Switzerland. Recently-published statistics apprise us that there are no fewer than 1,100 Mormons scattered about the Swiss republic.

NEW PHILIPPINE HERO.

Gen. Theodore Schwan's Exploits Highly Praised by Officials of the War Department.

The dispatches from the Philippines have recently been full of the exploits of the American column of Brig. Gen Theodore Schwan, commander of the detachment that has recently captured the Filipino towns of Cavite Viejo, Noveleta and Rosario. Gen. Schwan is an officer of the regular army, and one of the large number of German gentlemen who cast their fortunes with the arms of the union during the civil war.

GEN. THEODORE SCHWAN.
(Conqueror of Cavite, Viejo, Noveleta and Other Towns.)

During that war Gen. Schwan served the union cause with distinguished gallantry and was rapidly promoted. After the war he was assigned various commands, served as recruiting officer and did duty on the frontier. He entered the American service in 1857 as a private, and when the war began had worked himself up to quartermaster sergeant of the Tenth United States infantry. At the close of the civil war he was a first lieutenant. Since then he has been gradually promoted, reaching the rank of captain in 1866, major in 1886 and lieutenant colonel in 1895. At the outbreak of the war with Spain he was nominated and confirmed as a brigadier general of volunteers. His experience of more than 40 years in the army and the fact that he has worked up from the ranks tend to make him popular with the men who serve under him.

The movement of the American troops under Gen. Schwan was a fine display of American generalship and energy, while the Filipinos adopted what Gen. Alejandrino terms "our peculiar method of warfare." The whole country is an immense swamp, and the Filipinos never expected that the Americans could or would attempt to invade it during the wet season.

PRETTY MISS MARSTON.

New York Maiden Whose Face and Figure Appear on Millions of Two-Dollar Bills.

A beautiful little New York girl has the distinction of having her picture on every two-dollar bill issued by the United States in 1896. Her name is Rosa Marston, and she is but 16 years of age. Her fame as a model began in 1895, when Saxony, the New York art photographer, got her to pose for a series of pictures. Little Miss Marston is said to be the most shapely child known to the New York artists. She is particularly remarkable for the beauty and grace of her arms, hands and feet, which closely resemble the old Greek

MISS ROSA MARSTON.
(Her Figure Appears on Millions of Two-Dollar Bills.)

models. On the 1896 two-dollar bill there is a group of five beautiful female figures. The one which represents Rosa Marston is that of the girl kneeling on the left of the group. The accompanying illustration gives a fair representation of the girl in one of her poses. She has posed for leading artists for over four years. The figures Steam, Electricity and Manufactures on the 1896 two-dollar bill were all sketched from her poses, and she was one of the models for the beautiful figure paintings that decorate the walls of the congressional library at Washington. It is said that Miss Marston earns $50 a week as a model. In spite of her success she is a child in feeling, and is still fond of toys and pets. Her favorite pets are her spaniel Ned and her pony Nesby.

Annual Catch of Lobsters.

Fifteen years ago the annual catch of lobsters along the New England coast exceeded 100,000,000, and over 15,000 men were employed in the industry. Of this business Maine furnished more than one-half, but to-day over 90 per cent. of the canned lobsters are brought from the British provinces.

Russian Extravagance.

The wealthy Russians are said to be extremely profitable to hotel and shop keepers in the lands in which they are traveling. A Swiss authority insists that 200 Russians will spend more in a month than 1,000 Englishmen and women for the same period of time.

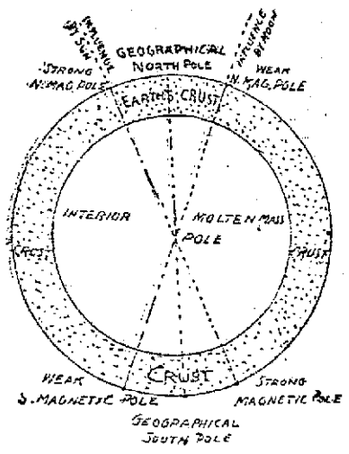
GREAT UNDERTAKING

A Survey of the Whole Earth Being Made at Present.

To Be Completed in Ten Years—Ponderous Bones Found in Wyoming—Goat Lymph Treatment for Nervous Troubles.

[Special Chicago Letter.]

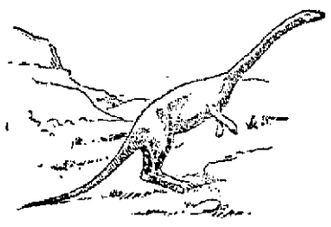
SO MUCH of the world's wealth is represented by the world's acres and in some favored localities the disputed ownership of a few inches more or less of real estate on a boundary line causes so much loss or gain, litigation and unhappiness, that it is imperative that an absolutely exact survey should establish beyond question fixed lines from which accurate calculations may be made. It is a well-known fact that a survey is being made of the whole earth, but few realize the



MAGNETIC CHART OF THE EARTH.

difficulties in the way of that enormous undertaking. A surveyor as well as a seaman must depend upon a compass in order to find his directions, and the variations of the compass are so great and shift so from time to time that allowances must always be made for these changes. On navigator's charts are curling lines which show these variations so that a navigator knows, wherever he may be, how far his compass fails to point due north. These charts have often to be reconstructed, for by the change in the magnetic meridians, as these lines of variation are called, a slight error in calculation might mean the wrecking of a ship. Geographical meridians are fixed and always run to the two geographical poles, but these are not of much value in calculation unless the magnetic meridians are precisely located. A hopeless tangle would soon occur if lines in but one locality were depended on, as a surveyor would follow the magnetic meridian in its travels to his great confusion. Humboldt, early in the century, showed the desirability of systematic magnetic surveys and recommended that they be made every 25 years. It seems a vast undertaking to measure the whole earth, to catch and fix the elusive magnetic meridians. Stations must be established at regular intervals from which observations must be taken. The United States covers as much ground as Europe. If we have a station for every hundred miles, this country will require 30,000. Great Britain had one in every 139 square miles, Holland one for every 40 miles. A central observatory has been established near Washington. There is to be one in the northwest, one in Alaska, one in Honolulu and it is expected to have one in connection with Lick observatory in California.

France has four of these observatories, and is building four more. Japan has six. The magnetic and geographical meridians differ as much as their corresponding poles. The magnetic poles are regarded as four in number, two in the northern and two in the southern hemispheres, and in periods of centuries they slowly change their positions around the geographical poles.



DIPLODOCUS RESTORED.
(When Alive This Creature Was About 90 Feet Long.)

In the northern hemisphere, the stronger magnetic pole is located near the mining region at the head of the great lakes, and the weaker in Asia. In 1663 the magnetic pole was to the north and east of Paris. Moving eastward, it reached its western maximum, 22 degrees 34 minutes. In 1830 it was at 96 degrees 41 minutes west of Greenwich. In 1965 it will pass near the meridian west of Paris, in 2116 will be 90 degrees east of Paris. In 2267 it will return to the meridian of Paris. The agonic, or line of no variation of the compass, is the basis of all magnetic calculations, and as it moves from place to place, surveyors and navigators must make allowance for it. It was first discovered by Columbus in 1492 at the Azores. In 1660, it ran through New York city. In 1770 from a point near Birmingham, Ala., it ran east across the Atlantic. In 1880 it started near White river, Ontario, strolled east through New York, Pennsylvania and Baltimore, passed along Chesapeake bay, along Hatteras and out to sea. It now runs from Lansing, Mich., through Columbus, O., Virginia, near Charleston, S. C., and through the Bahamas. Scientists have speculated much concerning these changes, but no theory as to their cause has been agreed upon. It is hoped that the survey will be completed in ten years.

Surveyors and discoverers of various kinds bring strange things to light. It has long been known that in Wyoming are localities where are thousands of tons of paleozoic quadruped bones, piled up in inextricable confusion so that it is impossible to construct from them one good specimen. But some recent investigations have brought to light several isolated skeletons with the bones in the same position that they occupied when life became extinct. These have been secured by the officials of the Carnegie museum in Pittsburgh, who will in due course of time have them ready for exhibition.

The Diplodocus here presented is the largest of these creatures of frolicsome ponderosity and was probably 80 or 90 feet long. A remarkably good specimen of a brontosaur was also found, a small animal only about 40 feet long.

Scientists are exchanging congratulations on the excellent condition of these quadrupeds which, with one exception, are the best preserved of any saurians yet found.

The process of electrographing, discovered by Prof. Elmer Gates, of Washington, a short time since, is not photographing but the writing of its own autograph by the lightning itself. An ordinary dry, photographic plate was placed within two envelopes to exclude the light, the inner one of black, the outside one of orange paper. Huge flashes of artificial lightning sprang from knob to knob of an "influence machine" while the plate was thrust in and held at right angles to the path of the flashes. A pin hole was burned in the envelopes by a tiny bolt and the plate at once developed in a dark room. A beautiful spray, resembling sea moss, appeared. In accordance with a well-known law the lightning had traveled in a direction of least resistance, outward in this case, on the thin film.

The results obtained by the use of goat lymph in nervous diseases are becoming so remarkable that they are attracting much attention in the medical world. A Missouri physician seems to have perfected this treatment and outstripped Drs. Brown-Sequard, Koch and other scientists who have been experimenting in this field.

He has been summoned to Europe to explain his methods there. Meantime most satisfactory cures are being effected by some of our own surgeons along the lines he has marked out. One of the most notable of these is the case of Mr. Irvin F. Bush, of Joliet, Ill., who for some months has been considered a confirmed paranoiac, his case incurable.

His complete restoration to health from the use of lymph treatment is

DRAWING LYMPH FROM A GOAT.

likely to attract world-wide attention. Mr. Bush is 30 years old and a prominent man in his own city. For two years he had attacks of "smothering," as he called it, which did not seriously interfere with his business. On December last one of these attacks so prostrated him that it was thought he would choke. His nervous system then showed signs of weakening and insanity developed. The malady progressed rapidly, and from being kind and affectionate his disposition became morose and violent. His wife desired to keep him at home under the care of local physicians and an attendant that he might be surrounded by his usual comforts, but it became necessary to send him to Kankakee, where his case was pronounced hopeless. If placed in a certain position he would remain thus for hours or until some one moved him. If an attendant raised his arm it would remain uplifted until taken down. At times he was so violent as to assault those near him.

The case, being an extreme one, attracted considerable interest and a Chicago physician finally obtained permission from Mrs. Bush to treat her husband with goat lymph manufactured by the process discovered by the Missouri doctor. In June Mr. Bush was taken to the institute in Chicago, where physicians are instructed in the use of the lymph. Four hypodermic injections in the arms and hips of 14 drops of pure goat's lymph were given daily at first, the number being gradually reduced until only one was given in a week. After 90 days of the treatment Mr. Bush returned home, perfectly cured mentally. At the beginning of the use of the injections his flesh fell away and he became very weak physically. He soon began to improve, however, and at one time gained 22 pounds in 21 days. From weighing 119 pounds, he now tips the scales at 144. He remembers little of his illness, but is fully prepared to go on with his work where he left off last winter.

EDWARD JULIAN.

Hit Below the Belt.

"You and young Chubbleigh don't speak to each other any more, Ethel. What is the matter?"

"Nothing, only he told me one day when we were at the park that I had a swanlike neck, and I told him he had a swanlike walk."—Chicago Tribune.

Both Were Plain.

"My first wife," said the gentleman from the lakeside, "was remarkably plain-faced."

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WANTED—A girl from out of town to do housework. Inquire at 419 S. Main street.

WANTED—Lady would like situation as collector. Address 125 east McKibben street.

WANTED—A position as housekeeper, $2 50 a week. Splendid work guaranteed for the right party. 112 south McDonald.

WANTED—Situation as Stationary firing and engineering. Apply at 605 N. Union street.

WANTED—Position as clerk in grocery; 10 years experience. Address 'L.' care 'NEWS."

WANTED—To rent large house suitable for boarding house. Address 'L' care 'NEWS.'

WANTED—Girl for general housework; family of two; no washing; reference required. 816 W. Spring street.

WANTED—A young girl to help with house-work. No washing or ironing. Call in the morning at 516 west Market street. 2t

WANTED—To sell 250 selected feeding Lambs, 13 Steers, 4 Heifers 2-year olds. 355 south Pine street, Wm. Duckworth.

WANTED—The party who was seen picking up a pocketbook in a certain church of the city will return it to 417 east Kibby street by mail and avoid trouble. Their identity is known.

Wanted—Position as colector. Leave word at this office.

WANTED—A bright energetic man or woman to sell seven books; Good pay. Call at 232 west Vine street.

FOR RENT, ETC.

FOR RENT—A flat of 6 large rooms 3 minutes walk from public square. Inquire of John H. Brannan, 2d floor, opera house block.

FOR RENT—9 Room house on east McKibben street. Enquire at 316 west High street.

FOR RENT—5 Rooms, sitting, dining, two bedrooms, wardrobe, kitchen and pantry. Enquire 316 west High street.

FOR RENT—House of 3 unfurnished rooms suitable for ladies or shop girls. Apply at 334 south Jackson.

FOR RENT—Good house of six rooms, one square from Opera House. Inquire at NEWS Office.

FOR RENT—After October 31st, a small business room on E. High. Inquire of E. W. Jackson.

FOR RENT.—Six-room-house on Eureka street. Enquire at Ingledue's.

FOR SALE-MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—Buggy and harness and good work horse for sale cheap if sold soon. Call at 108 east Spring street. 3t

FAUROT OPERA HOUSE

Saturday, Oct. 28th. Matinee and Night.

Fitz and Webster's Unrivalled Company of Comedians in that Musical Comedy Success,

"A Breezy Time."

Everything New, Novel and Original. Enjoy two hours and a half of clean fun.

Prices: Matinee, Children's 10c; Adults 25c. Evening, 25c, 50c and 75c.

You Will be Proud

Of your clothes if you have them made here. We give perfect satisfaction in quality, fit and finished. We take great pains with our customers. We want to keep their trade. If we get yours we know that we will keep it, as we can give satisfaction in every detail.

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We have money to loan at 5 and 6 per cent, privilege of paying off principal at any time, or any part. Be sure and see us before making arrangements for a loan.
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Grocery, Fritz & Kettler, Props.

Everything good to eat and bargains every week. Always the cheapest.

Corner West Kibby and Metcalf Sts.

Small business room for rent on East High street. Inquire at NEWS Office.

"If you scour the world you will never find remedy equal to One Minute Cough Cure" says Editor Fackler, of the Micanopy, Fla., "Hustler". It cured his family of LaGrippe and saves thousands from pneumonia, bronchitis, croup and all throat and lung troubles. H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main ane North streets.

TO OUR PATRONS.

We ask your kind indulgence for a few days, as we are just starting and it will take us a little time to get things in a systematic shape. Our tank wagons are now being built and will be out in a few days, when we promise that you will have no cause or complaint. If, however, the service should not be satisfactory, call up old 'phone 648 and we will do our best to remedy it.

OHIO SANITARY CO.

Eat plenty, Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest what you eat. It cures all forms of dyspepsia and stomach troubles. E. R. Gamble, Vernon, Tex., says, "It releived me from the start and cured me. It is now my overlasting friend. H F Vortkamp, North east Cor. Main and North streets.

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THE LIMA NEWS

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WATSON'S WEATHER

Rain tonight and Saturday, Cooler tonight.

BERTIE'S BOMB.

In the Morning Gazette of today, a bomb was said to have exploded in the democratic ranks. As yet no one has heard the report, so it is presumed to have rebounded and exploded in the hands of the thrower. The charges made as to the candidate for clerk having seasoned "too highly" the vote would apply equally as well to Dr Barr as to Mr Sullivan. It is needless to refute the charges; they stand refuted by actual statistics. The vote as given in the Gazette is,—For clerk, 5,683; for treasurer, 5,454; making not 300 more votes for clerk than for any other office, but making exactly 229 more ballots cast for this one office than for any other. The total democratic vote in Allen county, according to statistics, is 6,360, so it can easily be seen that there was nothing startling in the fact that 229 more votes were cast for clerk, than for treasurer, and even at this, it is seen that there were 677 democratic votes that might have been cast for the same office. The Australian ballot itself makes this feasable. A voter making an x opposite the name of Sullivan and failing to mark any other place, would cause him to run ahead of the ticket; the same thing is true were the x to be made opposite the name of Dr. Barr. Is it not highly probable that 229 persons out of 5,683, being intensely interested in one of the two candidates for clerk, might vote in such a manner. This occurrence is true in every election. There are always some candidates who run ahead of the ticket, and in this instance, it was Mr Sullivan, and even then he received only 54 more votes than did Mr Klinger. The bomb was alright, Bertie, but the fuse got caught between your fingers, with the natural result, that dear bombiets failed to explode.

PRESIDENT McKinley's Thanksgiving proclamation finds the Nation in responsive mood. As a people the citizens of the United States have much for which to return thanks. As individuals the rule will hold equally good. The past year has been marked by unprecedented prosperity. Factories are busy, farms are productive, commerce is flourishing. Capital finds ready investment, and labor is abundantly employed.

WASHINGTON FORESAW.

An extract from General George Washington's farewell address, shows that the great statesman foresaw the present condition of government by political parties and bosses. He said:

"All obstructions to the execution of the laws, ALL COMBINATIONS AND ASSOCIATIONS, under whatever plausible character, with the real design to direct, control, counteract or awe the regular deliberation and action of the constituted authorities, are destructive of the fundamental principle, 'the power and right of the people to establish government,' and of fatal tendency.

"They serve to organize faction, to give it an artificial and extraordinary force—to put in the place of the delegated will of the nation, the will of the party, often a small but artful and enterprising minority of the community; and, according to the alternate triumphs of different parties, to make the public administration the mirror of the ill-concerted and incongruous projects of faction, rather than the organ of consistent and wholesome plans digested by common councils and modified by mutual interests.

"However combinations of the above description may now and then answer popular ends, they are likely, in the course of time and things, to become POTENT ENGINES, by which CUNNING, AMBITIOUS, and UNPRINCIPLED men will be enabled to SUBVERT the POWER of the PEOPLE, and to USURP for THEMSELVES the REINS of GOVERNMENT; DESTROYING AFTERWARDS the very ENGINES which have lifted them to unjust dominion.

Thus, it is seen that over a century ago the father of Our Country had a fair warning of the great Marcissus and such as our own "Boss Hall."

IN THE PLATES.

ED. NEWS:—Will you inform an anxious reader whether or no, Mr. Campbell is personally acquainted with Mr. Bryan, and whether or no, Mr. Campbell is the author of that childish article headed, "Bryan Exposed," which appears on the editorial page of the Gazette this morning?"

ANXIOUS READER.

No, Mr Anxious Reader, Mr Campbell did not write that editorial effort, bearing eight heads. You see, the republican state committee has an agreement with the American Press Association, and through this committee, the Gazette receives so many columns of plate matter each week. Plate matter, Anxious Reader, comes in strips, just the lenghth of a column. These strips can be likened to a thin sheet about an eighth of an inch thick, and one column wide, and these strips slip on metal bases, then held in by grooves, bring the face of the plates even with the heighth of ordinary type. Now these plates are received each week by the Gazette, and it being a republican paper, is bound by party ties to publish the articles, the plates being free of cost, thus saving them $1 on each page of republican central committee plates they print, for otherwise they would have to pay for these plates. Now this article you mention, was written at the republican headquarters, and the "copy" sent to the A P A printers, there being made into plates and sent to all republican papers in the state. Thus, you see, Mr Campbell had nothing to do with the printing of that article. His foreman just slipped it on the metal bases, and then it was printed.

We know Mr Campbell quite well, and do not believe he would print such falsehoods, if he really knew of them before the foreman slipped the plate sheets on the bases. We believe that Mr Campbell does not personally know Mr Bryan, and would not himself be acquainted with Mr Bryan's life back in the '80's. In future, don't judge Mr Campbell so harshly If you will notice carefully, the type which is set in the office down there prints a little blacker than the plate matter. Mr Campbell does not write many editorials. He usually makes the first line of his editorials read, "a special dispatch from Nunnacatuck says," etc. If you would speak to Mr Campbell, we believe he would have his foreman be more particular about the plates.

FOR THE ADVERTISER.

No advertising equals legitimate newspaper advertising.

It is poor business and poorer economy to neglect your advertising.

It is astonishing how much money is wasted in scheme, program and other fake advertising propositions by men who ought to know better. A man who spends his or his firm's advertising appropriation for actual results, and watches for results, soon learns that to get the most for his money, he must spend it for space in the best newspapers in the city, and not on scheme advertising.

"The Ad Writer" published in St. Louis contains the following: "In a recent issue of the Lima, O., Daily NEWS is given the names of over 1000 new subscribers, which have been placed on these books since the first of June. This shows a wonderful growth in a short time. The NEWS is rapidly coming to the front and is now considered by home advertisers to be the most profitable advertising medium in Lima. The penny paper is certainly the people's paper and hemerchants appreciate this fact."

TWELVE YEARS

Absent From the Husband And So He Got a Divorce.

James C Hull Again Figures in Court.—Routine of the County Offices.

Judge Robb heard a divorce case yesterday, in which it was set forth and proven by the plaintiff, that the defendant, his wife, had been absent from him twelve years, and this was the first objection he had made. The parties were James W Lewis and wife, residing near Bluffton. The court granted a decree of divorce on the grounds of wilful absence and gross neglect of duty.

Clerk's Office.

The Alms Doeke Co. vs. E F Dieker, of St Marys, Ohio, judgment on cognovit; amount, $839.88. Culliton & Smith, attorneys.

Probate Office.

Rachel Tyler as administratrix of the estate of Jas. V Tyler, deceased, filed an inventory and appraisement of the assets of the estate.

Joseph H Staut, 23, a mason, and Elizabeth I Parker, 25, a dressmaker, both of Lima, were given permission to marry.

Recorder's Office.

Three mortgages and one deed constituted the business of the recorder yesterday. The deed was as follows:

David Keller and wife to Frank Keller, 1 1-4 acres of land in Shawnee township; $65.

New Buckwheat flour at Allen's.

"Gimble" elastic band hats are for comfort, stylishness and will fit any head at Albrecht Bros.

SECRET SOCIETIES

Condemned by an Association of Which a Lima Man is Elected President.

Columbus, Ohio, Oct. 27.—The State Anti-Secret Society Association passed resolutions to day, deploring the existence of secret societies, and declaring them un Christian and un-American. Officers were elected as follows: President, S. P. Long, Lima; Vice President, Bishop H. J. Becker, Dayton; Secretary, Rev. W. J. Sanderson, Cedarville; Treasurer, W. R. Sterritt, Cedarville.

Fancy and nobby neckwear at the Lima House corner.

When you fail to find elsewhere a Coffee to please you, come to The Lima Tea Co. Try BEST OF ALL.

PERSONALS.

W J Shepherd is home from Toledo where he attended the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons this week.

Mrs Seymour Evans, of east Elm street, is home from Toledo very much improved in health.

J Frank Miller, formerly of this city, now representing the Union Paper company is in the city.

Coroner Burton and Attorney Hutchinson returned last night from an outing at the Lewistown reservoir.

B B McCarty, of Thamesford, Ontario, Canada, is visiting with G A Herrett, of south Lima.

Attorney Halfhill is home from Pittsburg, where he has been on business.

Mrs W B Jack, who has been quite ill for some time, was taken to the Lima hospital yesterday to have a surgical operation performed.—Wapak Republican.

"When our boys were almost dead from whooping cough, our doctor gave One Minute Cough Cure. They recovered rapidly," writes P B Belles, Argyle Pa. It cures coughs, colds, grippe and all throat and lung troubles. H F Vortkamp. Cor Main and North streets

New Buckwheat flour at Allen's.

President King, Farmer's Bank, Brooklyn, Mich. has used DeWitt's Little Early Risers in his family for years. Says they are the best. These famous little pills cure constipation, billousness and all liver and bowel troubles. H F Vortkamp. North east cor Main and North streets.

SOUTH SIDE HAPPENINGS.

H C Napier and family, of south Elizabeth street, are entertaining Miss Price and Miss Liden, of Colner, Indiana.

Mrs Catherine Rex, who has been visiting at the home of George Bassler, south West street, returned to her home in Galion yesterday.

Flora Biddinger, of Reese avenue, who has been sick from typhoid fever, is recovering, as is also Bessie Waltzer and Cora Dobbs, who live on the same street.

Mrs Vanata, of west Vine street, received a telegram yesterday announcing the critical sickness of her only sister in Chicago.

A delightful affair was the reception given Rev. Thomas Maltbie and wife, of west Kibby street, last night.

Arthur Bergoon and family of south Pine street have moved to Indianapolis.

Joseph Ward of south Union street is recovering from a spell of sickness.

Delphos Herald: Jim Nease and Miss Permilla Simons, of Lima, drove to Delphos Wednesday and were the guests of Miss Lucy Jettinghoff.

There will be no preaching in Zion Tabernacle to night, but there will be services every afternoon and evening next week except Monday. Evangelist Kenedy will be here from Chicago, to help conduct the services.

BEST OF ALL Coffee our 25c Leader. Lima Tea Co. Roasted. 62t

TOWNSEND OYSTERS.

Stews 25c, Standard 30c, Select 40c

George Wannamaker, formerly of this city, now prosecuting attorney of Summit county, was in the city yesterday.

FRESH FROM THE COUNTRY

Every day is Ingledue's Smier Kaise.

THE CENTRAL GRAND CONCERT CO

Will open the Y. M. C. A. course next Tuesday evening in the Faurot The following letter explains itself:

TO THE PUBLIC:—In regard to Mrs. Bailey, the soprano with the Central Grand Concert Company, I desire to say that she is a true artist. She possesses a beautiful soprano voice of which she has full control and will please the most fastidious. Having been her accompanist during her tour of the Western states, I speak positively. Mrs. Bailey is one of the foremost sopranos on the concert stage, and those who do not hear her will miss this season's treat.

LYNN B. DANA.

The seat sale opens at the Y. M. C. A. at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

You Can't Be Too Careful With Your Children's Feet.

Getting the wrong kind of Shoes for them now may result in corns, or even serious deformity that will annoy them all their lifetime. We have the right kind of Shoes for children---Shoes that look well and wear well and at the same time give the little toes all the room they need, and the prices are right, too.

Sizes 1 to 5. 50, 75c and $1 00.

Sizes 4 to 8, 50c, 75c, $1.00, 1.25 and 1.50.

Sizes 8 1-2 to 11, 75c, $1.00, 1.25, 1.50 and 1.75.

There is no good style that we haven't got; no foot we cannot fit and fit well.

Gooding's,

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FOR 10 DAYS ONLY.

I will continue to make these pictures at this price

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NEWSLETS

ortant Local Notes Condensed For Busy Readers.

l of Mrs. Waldorf.

This afternoon the will of the late s. George P. Waldorf was filed in e recorder's office. The deceased ves all her property, personal and herwise, to her husband, George P. aldorf, in trust for the children—rs. Kate Kirk and Burton Waldorf. The property will revert to the children at Mr. Waldorf's death. The ill is dated April 24, 1897.—Toledo ce.

owling.

Last night at the Metropolitan owling alleys the Orioles and Japaes enjoyed a three game contest, reulting in favor of the Orioles. The cores:

Orioles - -	705	738	667
Japalacs - -	555	512	669

The Crescents and Henry George eams play to-morrow night.

Men: To-night.

The Pathfinders will hold their regular meeting in their hall to-night, in the Donze block, at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Maccabee Social.

The social and supper last night given by Lima Tent Knights of the Maccabees was a most enjoyable affair. After supper the following toasts were responded: to "Our City," Sir Knight P A Stephenson, past commander of Banner Tent; "Our Tent," Past commander M J Sullivan, of Lima Tent. "Our uniform rank," Sir Knight Charles Smith, of Banner Tent. "Our Team" Sir Knight Scully, of Lima Tent. The next social will be held the fourth meeting night of November.

It Is Finished.

The west North street paving is finished and the thoroughfare presents a beautiful appearance.

The Great Triple Alliance.

Servais LeRoy, Imro Fox and Frederick Powell, who are known as the "three crowned kings of the mystic world" at the head of one of the most unique and novel organizations that will be seen upon the road this season, will play an engagement at the Opera House next Monday night, and the management promise to furnish something new and startlingly original. This latest aggregation of talent is something heretofore unattempted in amusements, or at least this peculiar combination of talent.

Matinee Saturday.

"A Breezy Time" a farce comedy full of music, specialties, fun and pretty girls, will be the attraction at the opera house, Saturday matinee and night. Prices for matinee children 10c and adults 25c. Evening, 25, 50 and 75c.

25c Oysters only at Townsend's.

DO YOU DANCE?

Prof. J. H. Hawkins, well and favorably known for his excellent work in this city two years ago, will organize a class for this season in this city. If you wish to enter address a postal to P. O. Box 283, or leave your name in care of this office. 5t2

TOWNSEND CAUGHT DRESSING

His Turkeys, Ducks, Chickens, Squabs and Fish at his store.

TO CURE LAGRIPPE IN 2 DAYS

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

INGLEDUE'S SMIER KAISE

Fresh from the country every day.

FAUROT OPERA HOUSE

Monday, October 30th.

THE GREAT TRIPLE ALLIANCE

Embracing the Three Greatest Magic Workers of the Age.

Servais LeRoy, Magician and Illusionist. Imro Fox, Comic Conjurer and Necromancer. Frederick Powell, Past Master of Prestidigitation, presenting the most unique entertainment extant. A Number of Fashionable Specialties Accompany the Triple Alliance.

AGREEMENT

With The Big Four Firemen Has Been Reached.

Wreck on The P. F. W. & C. Road And Other Railroad Happenings.

After a conference between General Manager Schaff, General Superintendent Van Winkle, of the Big Four, and the firemen, at Indianapolis, an agreement on wages was reached.

The committee from the Brotherhood of trainmen, after a conference with the same officials, returned home with a proposition from the company, which will be submitted to the local lodges, but is not announced. Their wages of 1893 are to be restored, effective Nov 1.

At noon Wednesday a force of men commenced the work of demolishing the old union depot that has done service for many years at Dayton. A new and modern union depot will replace it.

Toledo Bee:—Some new papers have been filed in United States court in the Detroit & Lima Northern litigation. The Ferguson Contracting company's intervening petition has been ordered referred to Irvin Bel ford a special master. The Wabash has filed a third intervening petition for an amount of $24,801.71, claimed to be due for rental of tracks from Lima Junction to Adrian.

Will Vote on Terms.

Indianapolis, Ind., October 27.—It develops today that while perfectly good feeling characterized the conference between General Manager Schaff and the committee representing the brakemen, switchmen and baggage men of the Big Four, yet the committee felt constrained to report to the subordinate lodges the character of concessions granted, that a vote might be taken before fully accepting the terms of the company. It is not likely there will be any objection to the settlement.

The Erie is cutting down a number of grades and putting in considerable second track on the Ohio Division between Kent and Galion.

William Wall, of Summit Hill, a section foreman on the Ohio Southern, was fatally injured yesterday at Bainbridge when a hand car on which he was riding was hit by a freight train.

E R. Bissell, chief dispatcher and general yardmaster for the L E & W, who has not been well for several months, is again confined to his home.

A freight train on the P F W & C road broke in two west of Ft Wayne this morning and came together again with sufficient force to wreck a number of cars. The track was blockaded for several hours, and passenger train No 6 was four hours late. No one was reported hurt.

Bert Zartman, chief clerk in Superintendent Floeter's office, was in Perrysburg this morning on railroad business.

J. P. Curran, night operator at the P. F. W. & C. office is sick at his home on south Central avenue, suffering from stomach trouble.

C. H. Clary, stenographer at Superintendent Floeter's office, has resigned effective next Monday, when he will leave for Grafton, where he takes a position as clerk and stenographer in the office of Superintendent Husted, of the B & O Railroad.

Joseph Stockford, Hodgdon, Me., healed a sore running for seventeen years and cured his piles of long standing by using DeWitt's Witch Hazel salve. It cures all skin deseases. H. F. Vortkamp. North East Cor. Main and North streets.

Wheatlet breakfast food at Allen's.

Millions of dollars, is the value placed by Mrs Mary Bird, Harrisburg Pa., on the life of her child, which she saved from croup by the use of One Minute Cough cure. It cures all cough, colds and throat and lung troubles. H. F. Vortkamp. North east Cor. Main and North streets.

BUYING GAS TERRITORY.

Standard Leasing Thousands of Acres in The Indiana Field.

Marion, Ind., Oct. 27.—The Standard Oil Company is buying up and leasing many thousands of acres of abandoned gas territory, with the knowledge satisfactory to itself that with the exhaustion of natural gas the territory will be flooded with oil and oil experts have decided that this is the secret of the advance in the price of oil which has been made recently.

Both oil and gas men believe now that it will not be long until Marion, Alexandria, Anderson and other gas belt cities are surrounded by oil wells.

The Winget well in section 5, Douchouquet township, was shot yesterday and shows for a 50 barrel well.

The Ohio Oil Co. is putting up a rig on the J J Culp in section 9, same township.

Chas Linneman has a rig up on the W Harpster farm, in section 17, same township.

Geo Barns started the rigs on the Crawford farm in section 7, same township.

Wolfe Bros cased their well on the A Kuntz, in section 19, same township.

Wapak and Hume Oil Co. started a rig in section 30, same township, on the Geo Hohle farm.

The Indiana Oil Co. has derricks up in sections 6, 1 and 5 south of Wapak.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields up to and including October 24 as published in the Pittsburg Dispatch.

Pennsylvania Oil.

Shipments	105,092
Previously reported	1,880,423
Total	1,985,515
Daily average	82,730

Runs.

For same time	102 378
Previously reported	1,910,419
Total	2,012,797
Daily average	83,866

Lima Oil.

Shipmencs	54,481
Previously reported	1,502,072
Total	1,556,553
Daily average	64,856

Runs.

For same time	51 977
Previously reported	1,099.625
Total	1,154,602
Daily average	48,218

Oil Markets.

Tiona,	1.68
Scio	1.63
Pennsylvania,	1.53
Barnesville,	1.43
Corning,	1.36
New Castle,	1.28
North Lima,	1.10
South Lima,	1.05
Indiana	1.04

Quotations, Runs and Shipments.

Oil City, Oct. 26.—Credit balances $1 53, Certificates, no bids; shipments $81,328 bbls, average 82,634 bbls; runs 105,918 bbls, average 84,749 bbls

THANKSGIVING HOLIDAYS. 1899.

Greatly reduced rates via the C H & D Ry. Tickets sold on November 29th and 30th, limited to December 1st for return. Ask your nearest C H & D Agent for full particulars regarding time of trains and rates.

ONLY TWO DRUNKS

Make Up the Police Docket this Morning and Both Fined.

Police court was quiet this morning. Only two cases came before His Honor. Both of these were plain drunks.

Mike Evans, who got in a rumpus with Targetman Tobe Long, and the latter had pushed him from in front of a train, and probably saved his life, plead guilty to the charge of drunk, and was fined $4.60.

Steve Guinan was drunk and disorderly again last night and disturbing the peace around his north Elizabeth street home. He was brought before His Honor this morning, and plead guilty. Sentence reserved.

In addition to regular garbage the Ohio Sanitary Company collects and removes waste paper, tin cans, broken bottles, glass, etc., and keeps your garbage can in perfect sanitary condition by fumigating with the latest known preventative.

THE BROKER CLOTHING STORE,

223 SOUTH MAIN STREET. DONZE BLOCK.

. . THE GREAT . .

Consignment Sale.

Where a big line of Ladies' Ready-Made Goods have been consigned to us and will be sold regardless of cost. We are going to have the greatest sale ever offered in Lima, and the Brokerage Clothing Store will give you the greatest chance of your life.

We have purchased several stocks this summer, that have been placed at force sale, at very low prices, and the merchants were compelled to retire from business. These goods are of the better class and were purchased from some of the best firms of the country. The summer goods were offered by us a short time since and sold to our patrons in Lima and Allen county; and they are aware and tknow that they are truly bargains.

We will now commence with the Winter Goods which we will sell at equally as low prices as our summer sale and all goods will be sold at a bargain. These stocks consist of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Ready-Made Goods, latest style and best qualities, all of which are marked in plain figures and at very low prices, and this will be the greatest opportunity and the greatest sale for Lima and Allen county. Come early and avail yourself of this chance as these goods cannot be duplicated. Sale commenced on.

Thursday, October 19,

And our store will be kept open evenings to permit those who are unable to attend during the day to avail themselves of this great opportunity.

Ladies Department.

Lots of ladies cloth capes trimmed with fur regular $3.75 garments, now $1.90.

Lots of high grade capes latest style, worth from $10 to 15.00 will be sold at $5 to 6.00.

A lot of ladies and misses beaver jackets made in latest styles light and dark colors, worth from $6 to 10.00, go at 3.50 and 4.00.

A lot of nice fancy jackets, ages 8 to 12, formerly sold at $4, now go at 1.99.

If you have children in need, don't miss this bargain.

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TEA GOWNS OF PARIS

BEAUTIFUL COSTUMES SEEN IN FRENCH SHOPS.

IT IS remarkable what different degrees of success different women have with Paris dressmakers. This is especially true of American women. Paris, and in fact nearly all European women who deal with the men dressmakers of Paris, have long since learned how to get the best results. But with the ever increasing number of American women the results obtained are far from satisfactory, at least until they have learned the methods of their European sisters.

To get the desired results it is necessary to have some ideas of your own, and not leave everything to the salespeople of the Paris establishments. The Paris woman when she goes to order a gown insists on seeing everything in the shop, whether it is suitable or not; she has her own ideas and insists on explaining them, then if the dressmaker has anything to offer she is willing to listen to him and make her own choice between his ideas and her own. With American women, at least the larger number of American women who are patronizing Paris dressmaking shops, the method is entirely different, and this is due almost entirely to ignorance of the ways of Paris. The American woman imagines that anything that comes from Paris must be fashionable and fit well; she has no ideas of her own and leaves everything to the dressmaker. The result of this is that she gets anything that is most convenient, and it has come to be considered quite proper to give American women of this class anything at all. So far is this carried that I know of one case where a Paris dressmaker made a gown for one of his European patrons that did not suit and which she refused to take. The gown was laid away for a few weeks until a New York woman who was ordering her first Paris gowns came in. The two women were about of a size and the American woman got the gown that had been refused by her European sister because she did not consider it fashionable enough for her.

I am told that such instances are not rare, and I should consider it much safer for my American sister to patronize her home dressmakers, at least until she has some ideas of her own to advance when buying of Paris dressmakers.

Probably none of my readers contemplate patronizing foreign dressmaking establishments, but if they ever should I send these hints for their benefit, and trust they will profit by them.

I learned all this, or rather thought of it, as I was seeking for beautiful things in the way of tea gowns, and saw an American woman being imposed upon by one of the dressmakers here. But while seeing this I also saw some beautiful affairs in tea gowns, house dinner gowns and such things as are suitable for home wear in the afternoon.

At one establishment I saw four wonderful creations that I was told would grace one occasion. They were for a yellow tea, and the predominating color of all four of these gowns was yellow. They were of soft sling silks and crepe de chines with mellow tinted laces and pretty chiffons and mousseline de soie. Not alone the materials but the trimmings are of the most expensive and finest kinds. The majority of these tea gowns are made with the princess effect.

Of the four in yellow the first one which I will describe for my readers was of a lovely yellow silk with jet trimmings and white mousseline de soie with a black and yellow polka dot in it. It was made with a full low front of the mousseline de soie that was crossed at the bust and caught with a jet buckle. Falling in close ripples from the waist line to the feet was an under-petticoat of the mousseline de soie. Over this at the back and sides was a tight fitting gown of the soft yellow silk. It fell long in the back and hung in graceful folds much shorter at the sides, with the elaborate trimming of jet down the front and around the bottom in a very deep pattern. It had a short elbow sleeve of the yellow silk with the jet trimming on, and a long cascade frill of mousseline de soie around the bottom of the sleeve that was brought short at the inside of the sleeve. There was a high cascade at the back of the gown of the mousseline de soie, having a collar effect.

Another of these four which was most charming was of pale blue silk and white mousseline de soie, in which was worked small yellow circles. It was trimmed with black velvet chenille fringe, and black velvet applique. It was made with a low pointed neck of the white mousseline de soie that was caught in front with a buckle of gems. There was a rounded shoulder piece that had a flaring collar in the back, made of the blue silk and edged with black velvet chenille fringe, and the velvet applique. The back was made perfectly plain and fell long over the mousseline de soie at the sides and back, with a rounded front that revealed the under-petticoat of mousseline de soie. This overdress of silk was handsomely trimmed with chenille fringe and the velvet applique. The elbow sleeves were of the mousseline de soie, that fell in a long loose point at the back, and was caught at the inside with a buckle of gems.

At another place I saw a very delicate, but less elaborate tea gown of pale pink crepe de chine. This soft fabric clings in graceful folds, and had a yoke and the top of the sleeves of mellow-tinted lace through which a glimpse of the pink silk could be seen. The sleeves fell in graceful folds from the shoulder and were in a bell-shaped form over the hands, and edged with guipure applique. The pink crepe de chine was drawn around the lower part of the yoke and caught in folds at the side where the fastening was. It had a perfectly plain clinging skirt that had at one side long loops and ends of white mousseline de soie. SADIE MERRITT.

TEA GOWNS IN GRAY AND IN SALMON PINK SILK.

TEA GOWN OF PINK CREPE DE CHINE.

MID-SEASON TAILOR-MADE GOWNS.

New Designs That Will Be Worn Until the Winter Styles Are Positively Declared.

Tailor-made gowns for the short season between fall and winter during which one can go without a heavy wrap, are extremely chic. They are developed principally in heavy broadcloths, built upon foundations of silk and satin sufficiently substantial to bear the strain of constant wear.

However smart other materials may be there is a dressy effect about fine broadcloths that is seen in no other fabrics, and for that reason alone they remain popular. Were it not for this their great expense would have long since lost them their popular favor.

A favorite design for a mid-season toilette has a skirt of black ladies' cloth made tight-fitting around the hips with the accustomed fullness at the foot. It is trimmed very simply with bands of silk braid.

With the skirt is worn a clover colored satin bodice with tucked yoke of white satin under revers of the waist material.

Another stylish suit has a perfectly plain skirt of dove gray broadcloth, which is worn with a modish jacket of dark blue. The jacket has its lapels faced with dove gray satin and is worn over a shirt waist of the same material.

HELEN GREY-PAGE.

TWO FASHIONABLE BETWEEN-SEASON GOWNS.

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The neck of the wrap is finished with a small flat collar, over which is fastened a collarette of black velvet clasped with a jeweled buckle. Below the buckle are two broad ends edged with red chiffon.

A small, oddly-shaped muff is carried by the young woman, made of velvet and trimmed with chiffon and a fox's head, the eyes of which are made of genuine topaz. The hat is a small red toque trimmed with feathers and English red velvet.

HELEN GREY-PAGE.

MISS WILSON'S ENGLISH WRAP.

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THE CORRECT WINTER COAT.

A Wrap of Dark Fur Reaching Almost to the Knees Is the Fashionable Garment.

A famous chronicler of fashion is authority for the statement that coats will be either long or short this winter; that there will be no medium. "If a woman wants to be in vogue," says she, "and cannot afford to have her fur jacket pieced to the fashionable length, cut it off to the waist line to make it an Eton."

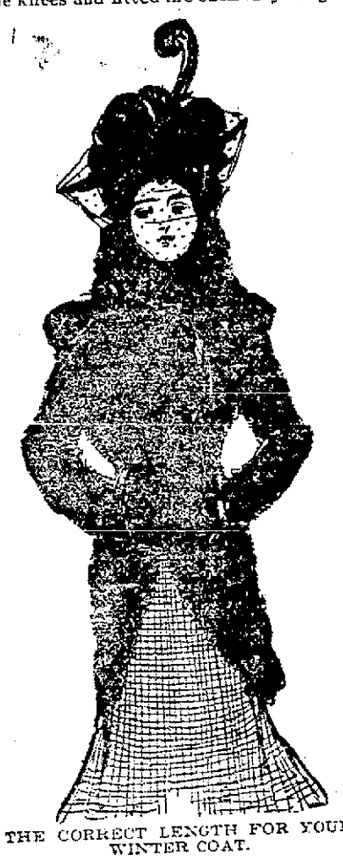
It is certain that long coats are coming much into fashion. A very graceful one of Russian sable reached to the knees and fitted the back very snugly, where it fell from the waistband in an unbroken line, showing off the figure admirably.

With the new coats come fashionable little collarette capes, which can be thrown over the shoulders when the weather is biting. And there is the muff, which is lined with brilliant satin to match the coat lining.

This will be a winter of furs; one that has never been equaled. Chinchilla, mink, Persian lamb, fox, ermine, monkey and all the seals will be fashionable, but the sables will be in the ascendant.

Sleeves will be as close fitting as coat sleeves in the cloth jackets and linings will be absolutely of solid colors. There is a general outcry against the figured satin for linings for fur garments, the objection being that the figures wear and look shabby when the background is perfectly presentable. Bright red and royal brown are the favorite lining shades.

HELEN GREY-PAGE.



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WAR IN AFRICA.

Forced Upon the Boers by Secretary Chamberlain.

ed History of the Events ich Led to the Ultimatum f President Kruger—England's Ignoble Part.

[Special Correspondence.]

OW that a state of actual war exists between the South African republic and Great Britain it be- s the people of other nations to y dispassionately the causes which o to the conflict.

atever one's personal prejudices be, it is always well to look upon sides of a great historical ques- and in this instance the impartial ver—be he American or English- —is compelled to admit that the s were forced into beginning hos- es by the hypocritical and unfair y of Joseph Chamberlain, British etary for the colonies, into whose ds the Salisbury government placed settlement of the Transvaal diffi- y.

he original complaint, of which the ent war is the result, was the al- d discrimination of the Boer gov- ment against the "outlanders," or gn residents, of the republic who heavily taxed and yet had no voice e administration of either local or ral affairs. This complaint came to British colonial office in the form of tition signed by British subjects re- ng in the South African republic; d was made by Secretary Chamber- in the pretext for undermining the ability and independence of the Boer vernment, in direct violation of the nvention of 1884, which guaranteed the Transvaal absolute independence the management of international af- irs.

A demand made upon President ruger to redress the grievances of the ssatisfied foreigners resulted in a con- rence between himself and Sir Alfred Milner, British high commissioner to South Africa; and the Transvaal agreed to pass a new franchise law and to refer other subjects to international arbitration.

Instead of meeting the Boers half way, Secretary Chamberlain and his personal representative in Africa, Sir Alfred Milner, prevented a peaceful settlement by enlarging their demands every time President Kruger made a concession; and when finally the main point at issue was reduced to a misunderstanding between a five-year and a seven-year franchise law Secretary Chamberlain, without any previous whatever, raised the question of "suzerainty." But before resorting to this clearly unjust and dishonest dodge, he had caused the British war office to dispatch thousands of troops to the Transvaal frontier.

At no stage of the diplomatic transactions between the two countries did the Transvaal question the supremacy of Great Britain; its representatives at the various conferences insisting merely upon domestic independence, which had been recognized by Great Britain several times.

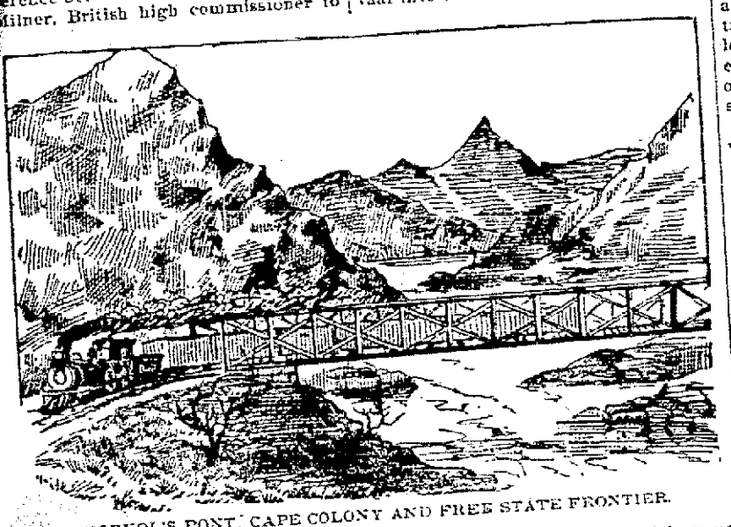
For some reason or other, probably to make themselves believe in the justice of the present crisis, English newspapers and politicians have of late spoken of the Transvaal as a British colony, but such statements are founded neither upon history nor fairness.

The South African republic has never been a British colony. Since its foundation it has elected its own president, made its own laws, and its citizens have never taken an oath of allegiance to Queen Victoria. The Boers who formed the republic withdrew from British soil for the sole purpose of forming an independent government, and this right was fully recognized by Great Britain in 1852 and again in the treaty of 1881 and the convention of 1884. The only right which the Boers ceded to Great Britain was that of conducting the diplomatic affairs of the Transvaal; and upon this flimsy concession Secretary Chamberlain has based his demand for regulating the status of foreigners residing within the limits of the republic.

The injustice of the British claim speaks for itself, but it is further emphasized by the fact that the "outlanders" are not only to be permitted to control the elections in the Transvaal, but that they shall at the same time lose none of their rights as British subjects, nor be compelled to take an oath of allegiance to the republic. The preposterousness of such a proposition cannot fail to appeal forcibly to every American citizen, not one of whom would for a moment consent to have Englishmen, Germans, Frenchmen and Italians residing within the United States exercise the right of franchise without assuming the responsibilities as well as the advantages of American citizenship.

Had President Kruger accepted the Chamberlain proposals the Transvaal would have ceased to be an independent state and Great Britain would no longer have been the "suzerain," but the "sovereign" power. The fact of the matter is that since hostilities have begun English authorities have spoken of nothing but sovereignty, the more objectionable term "suzerainty" having been relegated to the archives of the foreign and colonial offices at London.

Whatever one may think of the Boers, their customs and their ways, their history has been one long struggle for independent existence; and their initiative in issuing an ultimatum to their powerful enemy surprised nobody, least of all the war faction in England. President Kruger, whose little republic was being surrounded by a chain of armed soldiery, could not afford to wait until the enemy was strong enough to crush his army of burghers in one great pitched battle. He realized as well as his opponents that his only chance of securing an honorable peace depended upon quick action and the complete route of the British forces now in Natal and other border colonies. A single overwhelming defeat would mean the destruction of Boer rule in South Africa and the conversion of the free Transvaal into a British colony.



NORVOL'S PONT, CAPE COLONY AND FREE STATE FRONTIER.

Surprise has been expressed in some quarters that the Orange Free State, an absolutely independent Dutch-African republic, should have decided to cast its lot with the struggling Boers of the Transvaal. Such a step, however, was but natural. The two republics have not only been bound together by an offensive and defensive alliance for years, but the absorption of the South African republic would inevitably lead to the extinction of the Orange Free State. The burghers of the latter commonwealth, after the famous "trek," defeated the British at Bloemfontein, in 1848, and founded a republic. The British troops then in Africa were unable to cope successfully with the indignant frontiersmen; and when, in 1852, the warlike Kaffirs threatened to annihilate the discouraged English garrisons the London government acknowledged the complete independence of the Orange Free State, at the mercy of whose troops was the life of every Englishman in the southern part of the African continent.

England has never forgiven the defeat at Bloemfontein—nor those at Laing's Neck and on Majuba hill—and the Boer population of all South Africa knows that the game played by Chamberlain and his cohorts was not intended to help the "outlanders," but was rather the final move in a contest for absolute control over the gold and diamond fields of the Rand.

Back of Chamberlain then stand organized capital and organized rapacity, fortified by military hatred and unpatriotic jingoism. Back of President Kruger lofty patriotism raises its banners. In such a struggle the sympathy of the world—especially that of a free people—is with the under dog; not because he is an especially lovable creature, but because he stands for liberty and self-government.

What the outcome of the conflict will be, who can tell? Great Britain, it is true, can dispatch hundreds of thousands of troops to South Africa; and the men who wear the scarlet livery of the queen are brave fighters, even in an unholy cause. But they will be confronted by 40,000 men who are fighting for their native land, their families and their homes and who, although not proficient in military drill, know how to shoot and how to harass regular troops.

Of course, should the British succeed in defeating the Boers within the next month the Transvaal republic and Orange Free State would cease to exist. Should the Afrikanders be able to hold out for six months or longer perpetual independence would seem assured. Much depends on the loyalty to the British crown of the Dutch element in Cape Colony. There are thousands of them able to bear arms, and should they conclude to make common cause with their brethren of the north, England would have to send huge armies to Africa to hold her own.

G. W. WEIPPIERT.

THE WAR IN AFRICA.
(Field Cornet Calling Burgher to Report for Service.)

Cupid and the Law

By John Forbes.

"GOOD-BY, good-by; yes, we'll write and tell you all about it, and perhaps send you some of the drawn work."

And with these and the other usual messages the train carrying the big excursion to Mexico pulled out of the station.

It was a common, everyday sight to the station hands, and they gave it only a passing glance. But to most of the travelers it was a novel experience, and they looked on it as only the beginning of the days of sightseeing in the land of the Montezumas.

There were two passengers in one of the sleepers who attracted some attention. One was a woman of 60, tall and straight, with a carriage like a queen and who seemed as young and gay as the youngest. The other called her "mother" and was about 25, a beautiful girl. Their son and brother had come to the station to bid them good-by, a man of 30, well groomed and well made, the typical American man of that age.

He had provided them with everything that his affection could suggest, and told them to be sure and let him know day by day where they were and if they were well.

"And you will look after mother, Alice, won't you?"

As he spoke two young ladies turned and looked at him—his sister and a younger woman, about 22. She turned involuntarily, and the pretty blush that covered her cheek showed that her name was Alice, too.

Robert Duncan glanced at her and was struck by her beauty. But she saw his look and turned away and busied herself with her baggage. His mother and sister both noticed the coincidence also and smiled.

"So we will have two Alices along," said his mother. "I hope we shall become acquainted with the young lady. She looks very pleasant and very nice."

Just then the porter shouted "All aboard!" and Robert jumped from the train. As the car passed him he looked in vain for the faces of his mother and sister. But he did see the face of the other Alice looking at him with some curiosity.

Then he returned to his office. He was the junior partner in a prominent law firm in Boston, and had a hard afternoon of work before him. There was a brief in a case that had puzzled both himself and his partner. But try as he would to concentrate his mind on his work, he could see nothing but the beautiful face at the car window and hear nothing but the droning of the car wheels.

HE MADE FAIRLY GOOD HEADWAY.

At last he became so nervous that he threw down his pen, and, telling the boy he would not be back till morning, he walked up across the common and the public garden to his home.

The evening at the theater did not help him, and he was rather horror-struck to find himself no better in the morning. This was a new experience for him. No woman had ever before come between him and his work. This was silly. He never saw the girl before and he never would see her again, of course. He must have dyspepsia.

So on his way to his office he made a call on his old college chum, now a promising young physician. He did not tell the doctor what the most prominent symptom was, but was sure he needed medicine for dyspepsia. Accordingly he felt rather foolish when he was obliged to say no to all the doctor's questions as to whether he had certain symptoms inseparable from gastric trouble.

The doctor laughed and gave him some harmless powder and he went to the office strong in his resolve to finish the brief. He made fairly good headway, but still the image of the beautiful girl would come back to him, and as the day wore on, more distinctly. Late in the afternoon he got a telegram saying the party was at Chicago and signed "Alice." And that started it all over again.

Then he became alarmed and feared his mind was going. For he was not a believer in "love at first sight," or hardly in the grand passion itself.

Then he found himself with an almost resistless longing to take the first train and follow his folks. Of course he did not admit to himself that he wanted to see the other Alice.

That afternoon one of the firm's best clients came in. He said he contemplated purchasing some thousand acres in Mexico with the idea of establishing a coffee plantation there. He was not satisfied with the title to the land, and felt that some one ought to go down there and look into the matter more closely. He could not spare the time, and came to them, thinking that possibly some of their young men might have enough knowledge of Spanish to make the trip.

Robert Duncan regarded him as an angel, and said that as the office was not very busy just then he thought he

This was better than the client expected, and the matter was soon fixed up.

"Perhaps you will meet your folks down there," said the senior partner.

"Why, perhaps I will," said Duncan, as if he had just thought of it. But he told his partner that it was hardly probable, as he was going down on the lower table lands near the coast, and the excursions usually kept pretty well up on the higher plateaus.

That night before he started he got a letter from his mother, and in it she said: "Alice Chambers is lovely, and we enjoy her so much." So that was her name—Chambers.

The next morning he started. His journey was a tiresome one, and after several days spent on the train he found himself one glorious afternoon climbing a little mountain path on the back of a burro. Duncan had told his folks by wire of his intended trip, and found by looking over their itinerary that they had passed quite near where he now was.

He had left the train at a little town through which they had passed some days previously, and was making his way into the country to interview an old Indian whom he expected to find the next morning. The title to Mexican lands often depends on information only obtainable from the kindly Indian.

That night he slept on his blanket under the stars, and early the next morning was pushing on, the path growing still wilder and more beautiful. At last, about nine o'clock, he came over the spur of the mountain and looked down on a lovely valley. His guide and interpreter told him that in the little village which he could see was the old Indian.

About noon they arrived, the matter of the title was soon fixed up and arrangements were made to leave the next morning on the return trip. But that evening something happened that altered his plans.

A small party of the villagers who had been up on the mountain cutting wood had found a burro wandering alone. They did not recognize it as one of the village burros. It had a side saddle on it, and tucked under one of the straps was a little glove. They knew that a young American or European woman must have ridden the burro, and they began a hunt to find her.

Some miles back they found her unconscious by the road, and putting her on the burro which they had led back they brought her into camp. As they brought her up Duncan walked up the little village street to see what the matter was. He was astounded to see Alice Chambers on the back of the little mule.

She was still unconscious. One of the old women of the village took her into the little open shelter, and in a very few minutes she revived, and, opening her eyes, smiled a wan smile. When her eye caught that of Duncan's she started, and he stepped up and said:

"I am Robert Duncan, Miss Chambers, and my mother and sister have been traveling with you. I am here on business, and will be happy to help you in any way possible. When you are stronger we shall be glad to hear your story."

She regained her vigor quickly under the ministrations of the old Indian woman, and soon told them that she had started out with a party to make an excursion to some famous caves. In some way she had become separated from the others and had tried to find her way back. She became confused, and, meeting several natives, they had tried to understand each other, with the result that she became more and more at sea.

She had eaten only what some kindly Indians had given her. At last she went so long without food that she felt a faintness coming over her, and she knew no more till she woke and found herself in the little village.

In a few days she was strong enough to travel, and Duncan made himself a demi-god in the village by leaving a sum of money that to the Indians was fabulous. They calculated that the excursion party must be at the City of Mexico, and when they reached the railroad they telegraphed the party. An answer came back which they got at a station further on. It said: "Thank God, she is found."

They were met at the station by an enthusiastic crowd made up of the excursion party, the American minister and a great mob of Mexicans, who cheered the couple to the echo. In some way the story had gotten into the papers.

Duncan decided to stay for some days, and telegraphed his partner to that effect, who wired back congratulations, and Duncan found himself a hero. He drove with them and went to see the sights.

One afternoon he asked Alice if she would drive with him to the grove of Chapultepec. They dismissed the coachman at the entrance and told him they would meet him there in a couple of hours. Then they wandered through the majestic grove, where it is always twilight even at midday. They had been talking over their strange experience. "Alice," said Duncan, "you of course know that everybody thinks you are my sweetheart and was before we left home?"

She blushed and owned that she had heard something to that effect.

"Well," said he, "why not make it true? Alice, I have loved you from the first day I saw you in the train in Boston."

She looked up at him and said, archly: "Well, Robert, it was quite mutual, I assure you. O, there are some people coming. You mustn't."

From which, I infer, that he understood her to say: "Yes."—Boston Globe.

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Westward.

	9	15	3	31	35
	AM	PM	PM	AM	PM
Pittsb'gh lv	*7 00	*6 30	*1 35		
Alliance ar	9 45	8 55	4 35		
Alliance lv	10 15	9 27	5 20		
Canton	10 27	9 40	5 42		
Massillon	11 07	10 26	6 34		
Wooster	12 15	11 34	7 53	6 30	
Mansfield ar	12 45	11 59	8 25	6 55	
Mansfield lv	12 50	12 05	PM	7 05	13 35
Crestline ar				7 18	3 44
Crestline lv	1 10	12 27		7 33	4 11
Robinson				7 50	4 21
Bucyrus				8 04	4 41
Nevada	1 34	12 51		8 14	4 51
U Sandusky				8 27	5 11
Kirby				8 45	5 25
Forest				8 50	5 30
Dunkirk		1 36		9 10	5 45
Washington				9 25	5 55
Ada	2 37	1 59		9 50	6 16
Lafayette				10 03	6 26
Lima				10 21	6 44
Elida	3 02	2 26		10 32	6 55
Delphos				10 46	7 10
Middlepoint				11 00	7 24
Van Wert	3 21	2 48		11 11	7 35
Convoy				11 20	7 44
Dixon				11 32	7 56
Monroeville				11 42	8 06
Maples				11 55	8 19
Adams					PM
Ft. Wayne ar	4 10	3 40		1 [illegible]	
Ft. Wayne lv	4 35	4 50		1 [illegible]	
Warsaw	5 31	5 27		2 [illegible]	
Plymouth	5 [illegible]	6 22		2 [illegible]	
Valparaiso	6 45	7 45		4 [illegible]	
Chicago ar	PM	AM		PM	

Eastward.

	20	8	6	34
	AM	PM	PM	AM
Chicago lv	*7 30	*3 00	*1 30	
Valparaiso	9 15	4 46	1 20	
Plymouth	10 32	5 48	2 45	
Warsaw	11 20	6 20	3 34	
Ft. Wayne ar	12 45	7 45	5 20	†8 30
Ft. Wayne lv	12 57			8 42
Adams	1 05		5 40	8 52
Maples	1 17	8 12	5 52	9 03
Monroeville	1 25		5 59	9 11
Dixon	1 36		6 10	9 22
Convoy	1 52	8 41	6 25	9 39
Van Wert	2 06		6 40	9 52
Middlepoint	2 19	9 05	6 52	10 04
Delphos	2 33		7 08	10 20
Elida	2 44	9 30	7 20	10 31
Lima	3 05		7 40	10 50
Lafayette	3 19	10 00	7 54	11 03
Ada	3 34			11 16
Washington	3 40		8 14	11 22
Dunkirk	3 54		8 27	11 35
Forest	4 04		8 37	11 44
Kirby	4 09	10 46	8 53	12 00
U Sandusky	4 35		9 13	12 18
Nevada	4 53	11 19	9 32	12 36
Bucyrus	5 05		‡9 46	12 47
Robinson	5 25	11 45	10 00	1 00
Crestline ar	5 35	11 55	10 30	PM
Crestline lv	6 05	12 20	10 55	
Mansfield	7 29	1 30	12 08	
Wooster	8 25	2 18	1 00	
Massillon	8 45	2 34	1 22	
Canton	9 20	3 10	2 10	
Alliance ar	9 45	3 40	2 30	
Pittsb'gh ar	12 45	5 50	5 30	
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Trains marked thus * run on Sun. 6 and 15, Pittsburg Vestibule Sleeping Cars are

POLITICS

Hot in Logan County

Hanna and Foraker Factions are Fighting to the Death.

What is Doing in Our Own County and the Prospects Generally.

It is Now Estimated That Jones Will Get a Vote Exceeding One Hundred Thousand.

D K Hooley, a prominent retired resident of Logan county, and a life-long republican, having been active in politics in that county for twenty years, was in Lima yesterday, enroute home from Toledo, and was a guest of Proprietor C D Everton, of the Hub, last night. He is a hot Jones man these days, but otherwise will support the ticket. He was seen by the NEWS last night, and asked concerning the situation in his home county. "You see there has been a constant disruption in Logan county ever since Hanna came on the political stage, and Logan is distinctively a Foraker settlement.

The two factions, Hanna and Anti-Hanna are now in deadly strife, and the Foraker men are three to one. While I can not say, that all the republicans of the anti-Hanna element will support Jones, I must say that they will scratch Nash good and hard The fight is bitter, and Foraker's friends will not take up with Nash for a moment. The Jones sentiment is growing over there, and today I brought down all the literature I could conveniently carry and had 500 pounds additional forwarded to Bellefontiane. Wherever you find an anti-Hanna element you will find there is going to be an upheaval. I've been in politics all my life, and never saw such fighting among the repubs in our county. The antagonism is so strong, that it is simply hatred. All the leaders of the g. o. p. are out knifing the Nash ticket, and any politician known to be for Hanna couldn't get a pleasant smile. When Bushnell ran the last time he received a majority of 1,700 votes; previous to this time the normal republican majority in Logan county was 2,300; Kinney, for secretary of state, last fall, only received a plurality of 900.

"What is the objection to Nash?"

"Objection, why what do you want one man to have? Hanna has the Federal patronage, and if he gets the state patronage, we Foraker men will be knifed to pieces; we know this, and will do all in our power to down Hanna's candidate this fall. The fight is not against McKinley, nor imperialism, but simply against Hanna, and he will get it good and hard."

Dressed chickens at Allen's.

THINGS FOR CHRISTMAS

Are beginning to show up more or less in all stores, and from appearances The Lima Tea Co. will not be a back number. 6-2t

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Dr Wrights unexcelled line of winter underwear at Albrecht Bros.

That two pounds for a quarter Coffee at The Lima Tea Co is as near right as can be found. 6-2t

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See what Watson gives you with a pound of morning Glory Coffee.

Famous Laundry Blue large bottle will not streak the clothes. We have sold it for years. There is none better. Lima Tea Co. 6-2t

HEALTH BOARD

Met Last Evening in Monthly Session—Deaths and Births.

At the meeting of the Health Board last night, Health Officer Laudick presented the following report for September:

Deaths—White males, 16; white females, 14, colored females, 3. Total, 33.

Births—White males, 19; white females, 20. Total 39.

Eighteen cases of scarlet fever were reported and one cas of diphtheria.

The following bills were recommended to the council for payment:

Edward Roush, $13.20; Sylvester Miller, $41.60; George Tressell, $41.60; F. P. Laudick, $25; Marmon Drug Co., $6.05; J. D. Mertz, $71.25.

The steady growth of the business of the Lima Tea Co is the result of quality. 6-2t

DYING.

Homar Hall Is Slowly Sinking and His Death

Is Only a Question of a Few Hours—Typhoid Pneumonia the Cause.

Dr. Homar Hall, the only son of Postmaster George Hall is dying and his death is but a question of a few hours.

He was taken sick sixteen days ago with typhoid fever, developing into typhoid pneumonia. His condition several days ago was considered critical, but on Wednesday there was a change for the better and there was hope in the hearts of the ones most dear to him. The improvement was only temporary, however, and since that time he has been gradually sinking.

Mr Hall with his wife and child reside on South McDonald street.

New Lamps at the Lima Tea Co. 6-2t

Sweet Cider at Watson's.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURES.

A Series of Educational Lectures at First Congregational Church.

A series of illustrated lectures on "Practical Physiology and Hygiene," by Dr. B. F. Beardsley, of Hartford, Conn., will be given in the First Congregational Church, beginning next Monday evening, Oct. 30. Here is what the Fostoria Times says about Dr. Beardsley: "When instruction of a practical and profitable nature can be had so economically, the opportunity should be taken advantage of. The Doctor's life for many years has been devoted to teaching the fundamental principles of right living, and instructing sick and sour people of the manner and means by which they may both become healthy for their own sake, and sweet and savory for the sake of others."

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By Escaping Gas.

Frank Parrott, an Oil Well Pumper, Found

In an Unconscious State in a Pump House on the

Hixenbaugh Farm.—Discovered several Hours After the Accident.

Frank Parrot, an oil well pumper in the employ of the Devonian Oil Company, who has been pumping on the Hixenbaugh farm west of the city, near McBeth's lake, was overcome by gas this morning and at this writing is still unconscious. The pumps at the well stopped about ten o'clock this morning and it is thought the patient has been unconscious since that hour. R. E. Brown, a pumper on the Berryman farm, noticing that the pumps were not in operation made an investigation and discovered Parrott in the pump house, face downward.

He gave the alarm and Grosjean's ambulance was notified and removed him to his home at 313 Harrison avenue at two o'clock this afternoon. It is thought that Parrott went into the pump house and was drawing off the salt water when overcome by gas In falling he struck his forehead against the pipe. After the salt water had escaped from the tank the oil ran out and the injured man's clothes were saturated with the crude product. Dr Terwilliger is in attendance, but it is impossible to tell whether the patient will recover or not. He has a wife and two children.

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To Kill Charles Gerhart, and Will Now Answer.

Two Harrod Men are Brought to This City and Arraigned on a Serious Charge.

Constable Cremean and Ralph McGinnis brought Harvey Leatherman and William McKinney to this city last night and lodged them in the county jail. The men are charged with threatening the life of Charles Gerhart. It is claimed they visited the home of the latter and made the threat to kill, and then burn his property.

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